

# 1821 Upgrades Exhaust Most Officer Lists

WASHINGTON.—Current recommended lists for temporary promotion to captain and major were exhausted by the Army in its end-of-April announcements, except for a few names withheld for administrative reasons. They will appear in this paper as "delayed promotions" over the next few weeks.

## Warrant Promotions

WASHINGTON — Promotions to CWO (W-2) were announced for 104 warrant officers this week by the Army. Announcement came in DA Special Order 85. Cut-off date of rank of those promoted was Sept. 6, 1951. New date of rank for the new chiefs is April 30, 1954. Names of the 104 with their branch assignments are on Page 25.

## Morale Move Shifts Many Unit Names

WASHINGTON. — Wholesale reshuffling of designations for many Army units has been announced by the Army. Colors and designations of all but three National Guard divisions will be returned to state control by June 30 and Regular Army designations will be borne at that time by all tactical units except for two divisions and two regiments. In the United States, these changes have been announced: The colors and designation of the 31st Infantry Division will return to Mississippi-Alabama control. The 8th (Golden Arrow) Infantry Division will be reactivated as a tactical division at Camp Carson, Colo., to replace it. To take the place of the 8th as a training division, the 101st (Screaming Eagle) Airborne (Tng) (See 'MORALE', Back Page)

## Top NCO's May Stay Overseas

WASHINGTON. — The Army has extended its policy of stabilization for 20-year men in the top three grades to include overseas assignments. In an April 7 DA message (504-421) which has just come to light, the Army gave authority to top three graders to "extend voluntarily their foreign service tours indefinitely" if they had 20 years or more of active federal service. To be eligible, these men must also satisfy the following conditions:

1. There must be a requirement in the overseas theater for a position with the grade and qualifications possessed by the individual.
2. The individual must have an excellent character and efficiency rating.
3. He must be a citizen of the United States.
4. The overseas commander must approve the "indefinite" extension.
5. The individual must understand that the overseas commander may void the extension at any time.

A number of officers were also promoted to lieutenant colonel, although this recommended list still has names on it of officers who will be promoted at the end of May and June.

Total number of officer promotions, not counting delayed promotions, during the week of April 26 was 2949. Last week 1128 of these were reported in *Army Times*. The balance, 1821 names in all, appear at the end of this article.

In the promotions reported below, there are several oddities. The West Point class of '49—those who had not won promotion to captain earlier—made captain. The first female member of the Regular Army Medical Corps, Pae Adams, also made captain. In the same order, a second woman doctor—a Reserve member of the Medical Corps, Christine Haycock—also made captain.

Of the 293 who made lieutenant colonel in the three orders carried in this week's paper, 138 are Regulars, 144 reservists and 11 National Guardsmen. Cut-off date for the list is Sept. 14, 1950, which leaves the list still 16 days to go to be exhausted.

Promoted to major were 376 captains. Since these promotions exhaust the list, the cut-off date is the same as the date of the zone of consideration, Dec. 31, 1949.

The 1152 who made captain also exhausted the list. The cut-off date for the list and for the zone of consideration, therefore, are the same, December 31, 1950, except in the WAC, where the cut-off date is June 30, 1951, and in three Army Medical Service corps, where the cut-off date for doctors (MC) is May 31, 1952, for veterinarians (VC) Dec. 31, 1951, and women medical specialists (WMS) June 30, 1951.

Total Army list promotions to lieutenant colonel in the three orders is 278. Seven JAG officers made lieutenant colonel, and one doctor (MC) and six dentists (DC).

Promotions to major went to 221 Army list officers, six JAGs, 122 (See OFFICER, Page 8)

## IN 'REMOTE' AREAS:

# Services Plan TV Network

WASHINGTON.—An Armed Forces Television Service, paralleling the Armed Forces Radio Network, is now in the early planning stages, military spokesmen said this week.

No new stations are to be erected before fiscal year 1956, which begins on July 1, 1955. Meanwhile, further studies of the Air Force station at Limestone AFB, Maine, operating under a temporary FCC permit, are being made to determine programming, technical, and other operating problems.

NO SERVICE will yet admit to any definite plans. However, the Air Force is reported to be considering establishing four stations, all in overseas or remote areas, and the Army is considering stations for at least Okinawa and perhaps areas in Alaska, the Caribbean and similar remote, over-

sea sites. Navy plans are unknown. The Marine Corps will not set up its own service, but will depend on the Navy for support.

In areas where two or more services are located, cooperative efforts will be made.

A meeting about a month ago gave the go-ahead to the services to explore the possibility of setting up AFTVS. At that meeting, it was decided that only "low power" stations, with a range of about five miles, would be set up. They would be permitted only in "remote areas." Services would pool resources where possible. When and if commercial TV comes into an area, armed forces stations will fold up, it was tentatively decided.

No financing of new stations will be undertaken before FY 1956.

PRELIMINARY STUDIES indicate that a station can be set up for about \$40,000 to \$50,000, which is what it costs to set up a radio station. Implications are that programming would be almost entirely film and kinescope recordings. Military spokesmen see AFTVS as an ideal educational as well as entertainment medium.

These plans do not affect closed-circuit TV service, which is in operation at two or three military posts, since such services do not require either FCC licensing or use of part of the radio wave spectrum.

## East Coast Edition

# House Eases Service Curbs

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WASHINGTON.—The House passed and sent to the Senate last week the FY 1955 Defense Department Appropriation bill with only minor changes, from the Army's standpoint. Details of the bill affecting the Army were carried in last week's *Army Times*.

The Army took a \$600 million cut in its budget request, about 2/5 of which was voluntary. Reports are that the cuts will not hurt badly as far as personnel is concerned but that things will be tight in various activities that

come under the head of maintenance and operations.

The House went down the line on legislative service riders, almost exactly as the *TIMES* had predicted. Following the lead of its Appropriations committee it:

Knocked out the Van Zandt and Davis riders, eased the riders on off-duty education and household good shipments, stood fast on the commissary and oversea pay bans.

One of the reductions was in funds for financing travel during change of station. The committee had cut requests of all services for this item in an effort to reduce what it said was too many transfers.

But, while attempting to reduce transfers, the House OK'd an (See HOUSE, Page 25)

## Medicare: Too Late For 1954?

WASHINGTON. — The Armed Services Dependent Medical Care Act, which was released by the Bureau of the Budget last week and sent to Capitol Hill, faces an uncertain future in Congress. Possibly it has arrived too late to be acted on this year.

The Senate Armed Services committee is unlikely to take this important piece of legislation up before June, according to a spokesman.

A House Armed Services committee member said that the committee won't hold hearings until the Defense Department comes up with some figures on the cost of the bill that make sense.

It looks like someone over there pulled the cost figures out of a hat," he said. "We can't take a bill like that to the floor. They have got to tell us whether they are going to charge one, or two, or six, or 10 percent."

The spokesman's reference was to a provision of the bill calling for participation in the cost of medical care.

BASIC PROVISIONS of the bill are:

Uniformity in treatment of dependents for all armed services, including dependents of reservists on EAD.

Diagnostic services, acute medical and surgical care, immunization, maternity and infant care treatment of contagious diseases are included in the bill.

No home treatment or treatment of chronic diseases, care for nervous (See MEDICARE, Page 12)



## ONE MORE WEEK:

# Armed Forces Day Fever Hits Pitch

ARMY posts and other military installations across the Nation are finishing preparations this week for Armed Forces Day next Saturday, May 15.

This year, as in previous observances, most posts are holding open house for civilians of surrounding communities. Personnel are going off-post in many instances to join in parades and other activities in the communities and cities themselves.

An indication of Armed Forces Day activity is shown in this sampling of reports:

## Midwest Ready

CHICAGO. — Street parades, public ceremonies, airplane "flyovers" and open houses at military reservations will highlight fifth annual Armed Forces Day observances next Saturday in cities and towns throughout the Midwest.

Programs have been scheduled in several hundred communities in the 13 Midwestern states, designated as Area 1 and corresponding to the Fifth Army Area, the Ninth Naval District, and the Tenth Air Force.

All the public demonstrations

will highlight the day's theme, "Power for Peace."

## D. C. To See Psy War

FORT BRAGG, N. C.—Psychological warfare will go on display in the nation's capital for the second consecutive year during the Armed Forces Day exhibit at Bolling AFB, D. C.

Under the direction of Lt. Col. Horace A. Farnkin and his project officer, Lt. Joseph A. Perry, some five officers and 40 enlisted men of the Psychological Warfare Center's operational units will make the trip to Washington to put on the Psy War show.

They represent the 2d Loudspeaker and Leaflet Co., the 8th Mobile Radio Broadcasting Co. and Hq. Det. Other units are also engaged in the preparation of the exhibit material.

A leaflet drop, using a quarter of a million leaflets printed by the 7th Reproduction Co., is scheduled May 14 on the outskirts of Washington.

Cpl. Arthur Pages and PFC Merrill Sindler are in charge of the elaborate art work involved in the exhibit. Last year, more than 50,000 people saw the Bolling Field exhibit. Psywarriors hope that this year's attendance will be even larger.

## Mac Holding Open House

FORT McPHERSON, Ga.—This post will hold an open house ex-

## Big Boom In Germany



ARMY'S 280-MM CANNON is being used in practice firing—with conventional shells, that is—in Germany. Above, men of the 868th FA Bn. ready the big artillery piece for firing on the range at Baumholder. The Army recently revealed that 30 of the giant weapons are in West Germany, raising to five the number of battalions equipped with them. The cannon fires either conventional or atomic shells, has a range of about 20 miles and weighs 85 tons.

hibit May 14 as part of the Armed Forces Week observances.

Lt. Col. W. H. McNaul, post commander, has invited the citizens of the Greater Atlanta area to attend the open house, which will include displays from several Third Army installations, including McPherson.

McPherson also will participate in Atlanta's observance by sending a company of troops to parade downtown on May 13.

The exhibit area will be Hedekin Field, and the various displays are scheduled to be open for public view from 12 noon until after 5:00 P. M., when the traditional weekly retreat parade is held.

## The 82d Is Jumping

FORT BRAGG, N. C.—The 82d Abn. Div.'s participation in the Armed Forces Day program May 15 will include four normal training jumps with the public invited to witness them.

A marshalling area display of

personnel and parachute equipment will be maintained by the division. It will include a static display of monorail bundles and heavy drop equipment, open bundles and loaded aircraft.

The general theme for Armed Forces Day is "Power for Peace," but a sub-theme—"Home of the Airborne"—will be emphasized at Bragg.

Project officer for the division is Maj. Clinton D. Harvey, chemical officer, who will be in charge of planning and coordinating all activities.

It is expected that units of the 82d will also participate in several parades in neighboring communities during the day.

## Campbell Expects Mob

FORT CAMPBELL, Ky.—This Airborne post stands ready to receive some 25,000 civilian guests expected to attend its Armed Forces Day observance next Sunday, May 16.

At Fort Campbell, departure from the traditional date, "the third Saturday in May," is a matter of command policy.

Maj. Gen. Wayne C. Smith,

commanding general of the post and its resident 11th Abn. Div. believes the Sunday observance a greater convenience for civilian guests.

Campbell's ticket of invitation to the annual Open House "Come early and stay late" includes the special chapel service which begins the day, and complete picnic facilities.

The program of exhibitions, demonstrations and tours begins at high noon and concludes with a full-scale retreat parade by post and 11th Abn. Div. troops.

## Lee 'Shoots Works'

FORT LEE, Va.—This post has been working for three months to make sure this year's Armed Forces Day celebration matches or exceeds any past observance here.

Chairman of the local committee is Maj. Sol Lundsman.

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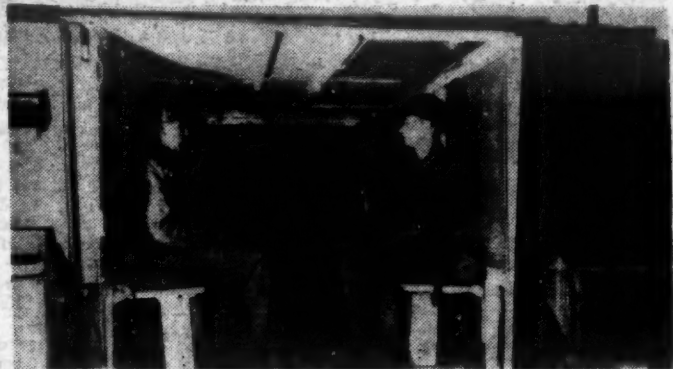
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**RIGHT ACROSS RIVERS** goes the M-59 armored personnel carrier, getting a rugged workout in Exercise Spearhead, which opened this week. The vehicle, which carries a squad, needs no modifications to be used in water. This photo was taken during the recent Exercise Flashburn.



**THE INSIDE** of the armored personnel carrier looks like this. A ramp is lowered and men leave the vehicle just like they leave landing craft. The men in this picture are members of the 701st Armd. Inf. Bn., taking part in Spearhead at Fort Hood.

## Spearhead Opens; Armor T0 Tested

FORT HOOD, Tex. — Organization of the American armored division is getting its toughest test in years as the 1st Armd. Div. this week was subjected to mock atomic attacks, guerilla raids and situations requiring parachuted supplies.

The rugged tests are part of Exercise Spearhead, a 22,000-man maneuver which opened Monday and which will wind up May 19. Biggest unit taking part in the exercise is the 1st Armd. Div., which forms the bulk of the imaginary XV Corps.

Most of the 3000 Aggressors opposing "Old Ironsides" come from the 17th Armor Gp., and the 2d Bn., 164th Inf. Regt., 47th Inf. Div., Camp Rucker, Ala.

Coming in for serious study during the maneuver, which is being held on this 205,000-acre reservation, is the new M-59 armored personnel carrier, a fully-tracked, box-like vehicle which carries a squad of infantry. The vehicle was used in the later stages of the Korean fighting to evacuate wounded men under fire. It is amphibious and relatively inexpensive.

THE ARMY is going all-out to

make Spearhead realistic. A special sonic effects platoon from Fort Riley, Kans., is broadcasting battle sounds over loudspeakers. Full-size rubber guns and vehicles are being used to fool 1st Armd. troops. These decoys are being handled by Co. B, 47th Eng. Camouflage Bn., Fort Riley.

At the end of each stage of the exercise, officers will make out special reports. What they say on these reports will help determine the organization of future armored divisions.

### Retire At Fort Meade

FORT MEADE, Md.—Two Second Army headquarters officers, Col. Cecil W. Nist and Col. William H. Schaefer, were retired here last week with a combined total of 63 years' active service. Col. Nist was G-2 and Col. Schaefer was G-3, Second Army.

## 3 Autos Light Parade Ground As Airplane Lands At Rucker

By LOUIS PITLUK

CAMP RUCKER, Ala.—It was a dark, starless night, and windy, too. Occasional bolts of lightning tore through the black sky and disappeared as suddenly as they had appeared. Far from an ideal spring evening, but the 47th Signal Co. softball team was determined to get in its practice before the expected downpour.

The routine practice session was disrupted by the sound of a plane flying low. One of the players, Cpl. Sebastian Pugliese, noticed the plane's landing lights were on and tried to convince the rest of the men that the plane wanted to land.



**Pugliese** plane seemed to be going strong.

But Pugliese, with some knowledge of flying, knew that if a plane had on its landing lights, it wanted to land. He waved at the plane, which by now was only a few hundred feet off the ground, and the pilot dipped the plane's wings in acknowledgement. About five minutes later, after the plane had circled the field three times, Pugliese was able to convince the others that the pilot wanted to come down.

PUGLIESE took charge immediately.

He directed three of his friends to get into their cars and he arranged them to outline a landing field. One car was dispatched to the reviewing stand headed toward the field with its headlights on. Another

was stationed halfway between the reviewing stand and the softball diamond, faced the same way and also with its lights on. The third vehicle was placed at the end of the field facing toward the two cars, and its owner blinked the car's lights.

Using the two cars to light up his runway, and the end car as the limit of the field, the pilot brought the plane in expertly. He was forced to land with a tailwind because Pugliese, though he knew better, couldn't bring him in against the wind. A water tower and electric lines were in the way and Pugliese didn't want to bring the plane in too close to them.

AFTER the plane landed and taxied to a stop near the diamond, the pilot, L. L. Stewart, Jr., stepped out. His wife followed.

Flying from Birmingham to Panama City the Stewarts ran into a storm area. There was a storm in front of them and one to their rear. And to make matters even more precarious the plane's radio was out. Stewart wanted to land in Dothan, but there were no lights on at the field there. The same was true as he approached the Ozark Army Air Field.

He was circling around the area when he saw the division parade ground, and with the help of the quick thinking Pugliese he was able to bring the plane in safely without any harm to him and his

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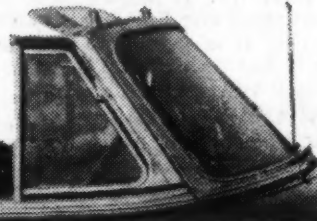
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## All Summer Long

**T**HE Army vs. McCarthy vaudeville has been on the stage for three weeks now and several people in the audience have been heard to shout: "Hurry up!" or "Take 'em off!" or to express similar sentiments indicating exasperation. Vice President Nixon is one who has been quoted as disapproving of the business. President Eisenhower has said something to the effect that the Senate subcommittee hearings were distasteful, and other Republican bigwigs in the Senate have complained that nothing of importance was being accomplished by all this fiddle-faddle.

This reaction is to be expected from almost anyone who has followed the hearings up to this point. Even the most rabid TV fan will agree that the lengthy cross-examinations and wide range of questioning so far indulged in by some of the principals have been unnecessary. It has also become obvious that these side excursions are one means used by Army opponents to draw the hearing out to absurd lengths until one opponent (and it will not be McCarthy) gets heartily sick of the thing and becomes open to compromise.

Everyone agrees that some means should be found to hasten the proceedings. But it is not proper, as we see it, for either senators or the Eisenhower Administration to desire at this stage of the game that the hearings be ended.

The Senate had its chance to curb the direct cause of this squabble, namely McCarthy, on a number of occasions and did not do so. While most of its members deplore the Wisconsin man's methods, for example, all of them except one man (Sen. Fulbright) recently voted his subcommittee enough funds to continue on its merry way for another year. The Senate also could have empowered another group to conduct the current hearings, which would have been proper, but chose instead to leave it with the Mundt committee.

(One of the things that makes Mundt and his friends so ineffective in conducting the hearing, of course, is the knowledge that Joe McCarthy will be back bossing them after this is all over.)

As for the President and the men around him, the chances they have had in the past to stand up to and oppose McCarthy are too numerous and too well known to need repeating here. The fact that even now, with the sights leveled and guns lowered on this man, they appear to hesitate does not speak well for their integrity. It must appear to many people, as a matter of fact, that the Republican party finds the battle so distasteful that it is willing to sacrifice principle to politics, even if it has to desert the man on the firing line: Army Secretary Stevens.

Should it come about that the Army position in this instance is comprised for the sake of political expediency, then we shall witness a further breakdown in that concept of "loyalty down as well as up" which is at the center of the present deterioration of service morale. And this time it could be disastrous.

The men in uniform need champions in civilian clothes who, like Secretary Stevens, will fight for their collective good name. Many servicemen think (rightly or not) that the Defense Department is interested only in balancing the budget and not in their welfare. While piously noting the need for service incentives, Defense leaders thus far have failed to petition actively for these things but instead have been most aggressive in "cutting service fat," with the Army on the receiving end of the deepest wounds of all.

It is one thing to publish a grandiose and heartening "bill of service rights," like the Womble Committee Report, which seems to lay out a glittering array of inducements for service people to stay in uniform. It is quite another thing for the Defense Department to back down when the very first (and least important) of its promised career incentives is given a public test. This occurred when the Department last December withdrew a new regulation permitting the sale of packaged liquors at service posts. It had been chivvied into this action by one of the strangest lobbying alliances of all time: the retail liquor interests and the temperance groups.

That is only one instance where it was shown that "loyalty down" is not among the concepts of service leaders at the very top. There have been many others.

It seems to us that someone up there had better take thought of another general and President, in dealing with the McCarthy vs. Army matter, and "fight it out on this line if it takes all summer."

## The Itching Palm



## ★ LETTERS to the EDITOR ★

### Wilson's Reply

**ZURICH:** Your editorial in the issue of 17 April flaying me for my offer of \$100 to a NCO who would punch Pvt. G. David Schine in the nose was read by me today. That part of your editorial is entirely correct. I have such criticism from you or from anybody else along that line coming to me.

The Army quite rightly refused and nullified my ill-tempered action at once and returned the check. As a retired officer I had advocated something which I would never have condoned during my active service, and I do not condone it now. It was uncalled for, and stupid. I made a mistake and I admit it. My own conscience is my worst critic. I wrote an apology to David Schine. I can do no more.

The second part of your editorial I cannot agree with, because it is based on fictions previously stated during the war, which in my opinion are either overemphasized or entirely incorrect. This is the first time I have seen them in print since the war and I hope that in fairness you will give me this opportunity to refute them and to give my side of the case for the first time.

For example, your insinuation that the 1st Division was badly treated when it returned to Oran from the front, and the statement that "the soldiers sought out and thrashed every MP they could lay their hands on." Had this happened, it would have been such a breach of military discipline that undoubtedly the Supreme Allied commander would have had an investigation which would have included the general officers of the division and the base commander and all others concerned, because a wholesale assault on military police who are the representatives of the command could not have been tolerated. I had these rumors investigated during the war and found them not so.

### The Old Army



"Men, I'd like to have you meet our guerrilla warfare instructor!"

The truth is that I was ordered from Casablanca to Oran about two days after the division arrived. The fact that some restrictive orders such as time limits for officers and soldiers to be off the streets were in force, was brought to my attention. I immediately changed them, had a conference the next day with the division and assistant division commander when restrictions asked for by the division commander, which were few, were put into effect, and I issued a memorandum to my troops pointing out that they were the hosts to the visiting division and asking that they should not crowd the clubs and recreation areas, but voluntarily stay away so as to give the 1st Division soldiers the opportunity for fun.

The commanding general of the division incorporated my memorandum in a General Order which was read to all units the next morning. The rest and recreation of "The Big Red One" was outstanding and as far as I know there were no incidents. The things which harass troops on leave in rear areas are the little ones like being required to constantly salute when in cities and towns. Once when I told my immediate superior in North Africa that I thought my command sufficiently disciplined without being too strict in minor matters, I was given a reprimand, threatened with relief, and I was required to enforce orders to the letter.

In Naples I did not agree with the saluting policy, where hundreds of officers and soldiers would be in congested areas and I recommended a "no-saluting zone." It took me weeks to get this approved by the forces of Great Britain and the United States, but I had to do that before such an order could be put into effect; and by that time I was on the Southern France invasion.

It was not my orders that required a close check on passes of front-line division soldiers coming into Naples and other cities but those of the Army commanders who gave only a limited number

of passes. At times during the static fighting there would be hundreds of soldiers awol and some even in desertion in the various cities and towns.

I was not personally in direct command of Naples but of all the areas outside the combat zone in the U. S. line of communication and I was required to enforce the orders of the various commanders. Of course there were military police on duty 24 hours of the day.

When the record of a particular unit showed that it was lax in discipline, I did put that commander on temporary duty with the MP section so that he could gain first-hand knowledge of the problem we were up against.

The hazard of becoming unpopular must be taken by any commander of an SOS establishment. But when it was all over, we did have the satisfaction of knowing that the armies supplied were well supplied and being commended for it. Finally, I always have been against any "caste" system, if there is such a thing.

ARTHUR R. WILSON  
Maj. Gen., USA (Ret.)

### 'Superduck' Innovations

**BOSTON:** I wish to call your attention to your April 3 article on the Army's new amphibious vehicle ("Superduck"). According to your article, it does have a lot of improvements over the models we used in War II. But the automatic air system is not new. Judging from your paper, we used the same air compression system on the old DUKWs in the Pacific during War II.

I hope they have invented some way to keep the brake drums from filling with water. When we (See LETTERS, Page 25)

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MAJ. GEN. William Murlin Creasy has been named Chief Chemical Officer, replacing Brig. Gen. Charles E. Loucks, who remains as Deputy Chief Chemical Officer. Gen. Loucks had taken command when Maj. Gen. E. F. Bullene retired last March. Gen. Creasy served in the China-Burma-India theater during War II, graduated from West Point in 1926, and is a former flier.

## 'Logex' Called Top Logistics Training

CAMP PICKETT, Va. — Some 1000 student officers leaving Exercise LOGEX-54 this week, found themselves richer in the knowledge of logistics and the problems involved in supporting a combat force.

The exercise was to end this week-end.

Brig. Gen. G. H. Vogel, assistant chief of staff G4, Army Field Forces, one of some 300 observers who visited LOGEX-54, said there's "no place in the Army that we get logistical training of the magnitude of this exercise, except in a major operation."

And if you ask the student officers—most of them ranging from captains to colonels—they'll tell you about the same thing. For in LOGEX-54, they provided continuous supplies and services to a 400,000-man U. S. Army assumed to be fighting its way across southern France.

Although their work was high-level planning and done entirely on paper, there was nothing unrealistic when they coped—simultaneously—with problems arising from a guided missile (with atomic warhead) attack on a railroad,

and an atom bomb dropped in the air over a port.

BOTH EXPLOSIONS hypothetically were made behind our lines by a hypothetical aggressor. But for the student officers, who came from 14 of the Army's technical and administrative services, things were in one big mess and it was up to them to straighten them out.

On top of a typhoid epidemic which had already developed in the port, the Medical Service student officers were forced to overtax their already loaded hospitals with countless wounded military and civilian personnel.

The Finance Corps lost some 15 percent of its military pay certificates and records. An Ordnance company moved out of the area to save its equipment from the fires.

Since the blast was over the

docks, all port facilities were destroyed—and all rail and highway transportation was disrupted—thus placing a tremendous load on the student officers of the Transportation Corps.

All units, equipment and supplies within 2000 yards of the blast were lost.

All of the support services came into the "play" to right the mayhem caused by the A-bomb blast. Likewise, they were all used to restore work disrupted by the guided missile attack, which knocked out a main railroad.

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## Dickenson Found Guilty; Gets 10-Year Jail Term

WASHINGTON.—An Army court martial this week convicted Cpl. Edward S. Dickenson of collaborating with the Chinese Communist while a prisoner of war in Korea. It sentenced him to 10 years imprisonment with a dishonorable discharge.

The verdict was returned by a board of eight high ranking Army officers who had deliberated for 10½ hours.

The maximum sentence under such a charge is life imprisonment. Dickenson, 23, from Cracker's Neck, Va., was the first man to be tried under a new military code provision which makes it a crime to supply the enemy with information that leads to mistreatment of fellow prisoners of war.

Col. Walter J. Wolfe, president

of the court, read the verdict. He specifically struck out sizable chunks of the 300-word first charge and said that the court found Dickenson innocent of the matters stricken from the charge.

After the finding of the court was announced, the corporal's service record was read and he was asked if he would like to offer testimony to be used to mitigate a sentence to be decided upon.

Prompted by his attorney the round-faced soldier murmured "I remain silent, Sir."

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## Base Banks Impose Check Cashing Fee

WASHINGTON. — At Defense direction, the services have ordered overseas on-base banking facilities to impose a one-dollar per month service charge on accounts falling below a \$50 balance, officials said last week.

ZI banks also have been authorized to institute a check cash-

ing charge consistent with local bank rules. The charge, officials said, will be made on checks drawn on any but the parent bank for persons who do not have accounts at that bank.

The service charge rule was imposed after a joint Army-Treasury study showed that many personnel were carrying such small balances that servicing them amounted to a loss to the bank. One company, the study revealed, was carrying more than 12,000 accounts of less than \$50 each. First service charge for most depositors will be reflected in April statements, officials say.

THE ZI check cashing charge was also imposed to keep banks from losing money. Many on-base banks already made some such charge, but the rule will bring all of them into uniformity. The charge, according to Treasury instructions, will be the same as that made by local banks or, if no charge is made by local banks, a flat 10 cents a check.

No charge will be made for depositors at the bank cashing the checks, for hospital patients, for checks drawn on the bank cashing the check, or for U. S. Treasury checks.

THE ARMED FORCES—except the Army—landed en masse at the Fort McPherson, Ga., hospital last month. Left to right are the newly-arrived Marshall, Gadlin, and Ethridge twins whose fathers are from the Navy, Marine Corps and Air Force. Army doctors made the deliveries.



## Defense Volunteers Slashes In PIO Funds For FY 1955

WASHINGTON.—Gathering the threads of information control more closely in its own hands, the Department of Defense has voluntarily cut its own and the military departmental requests for PIO funds in fiscal 1955.

Both White House and Congress want tighter control of releases.

Knocking \$1,000,000 off the original budget request, Defense asked for \$500,000 for its public information set-up and \$1,000,000

each for the PIO systems of the three services.

By centralizing control more, Secretary Wilson told Congress: "we are going to try to save some money," and at the same time tighten up on the issuance of information that has been criticized by Congress and the President.

TWO COMMITTEE critics of past news releases by the services, releases thought by some to be premature and over-competitive, F. A. Seaton, assistant secretary of legislative and public affairs, said:

"... The three services have operated autonomously. There has been a rather tenuous line of coordination between them and our office."

Secretary Wilson told the committee:

"They (the services) have not had the proper guidance. . . . If this organization (Defense PIO) does not make an improvement over what has been done, Mr. Seaton and I are both going to be in trouble. . . ."

Mr. Seaton said he was going to try running the PIO set-up even more cheaply than budget estimates (\$3.5 million for all services and Defense) provide.

The numbers of military personnel in public information work this fiscal year and next are as follows: Army, 219 in 1954 compared with 170 for 1955; Navy, cut from 185 to 140; Air Force, cut from 149 to 100; and the Defense Department, cut from 75 to 39.

## Deadline On 'Option' Plan Set At Nov. 1

WASHINGTON.—The President has signed into law the bill giving 18-year servicemen another six months to sign up for contingency option annuities.

The extension gives members who have completed 18 years' service until Nov. 1 to decide whether they want to participate in the plan if, if so, how much of their retired pay they want to earmark toward annuities for their widows and children.

Reason for the extension—the deadline was to have been April 30—is to give members more time to study the complex details.

Under it, retired members accept a slight reduction in their retired pay and credit it toward payment for various sizes of annuities for their survivors.

Those who accept have four annuity possibilities and can allot various percentages of their pay to the plan, depending on how large an annuity they want to set up.

The services can be expected to use the new six-month period to step up their information program on the law which, to date, has not gained the acceptance some officials would like.

## Foreign Service Course Scheduled

WASHINGTON. — The ninth annual Foreign Service Review Course will be offered by George Washington University beginning June 21.

An intensive ten-week review in preparation for the written Foreign Service examination of the Department of State, the course includes directed study and guided reading in addition to 20 hours of classes per week and practice examinations.

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# 69th Div. Replaces 9th At Dix

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FORT DIX, N. J.—Although not a man stirred, May Day was moving day for the 9th Inf. Div. as its colors left here—the division's home since 1947—for return to Germany.

Training activities of the 9th were formally turned over May 1 to the 69th Div., whose War II patch will now be worn here.

The 9th Div. octofoll, meanwhile, will replace the red key-stone of the 28th Div., which is

being returned from Germany to the Pennsylvania National Guard.

Along with the 9th goes its regiments—the 47th Inf., which was the first infantry outfit to cross the Remagen Bridge in 1944; the 39th, whose battalions received three unit citations for action in

Europe; and the 60th, as well as its field artillery battalions, the 26th, 34th, 60th, and 84th.

THE 9TH DIV. spearheaded both the North African and Sicilian landings during War II. Sailing then for England, the 9th took part in the Normandy landing and swept across Europe with the allied forces. Since 1947, it has been a training outfit at Dix in the First Army area.

The personnel and activities here will remain unchanged. Assuming the banner of the 69th, the short but full history of that war-time division will be expanded under new incentives.

The red, white, and blue "69" shoulder patch was seen cracking the Siegfried Line, crossing the Rhine, and defending Leipzig. The 69th was the first American unit to make contact with the Russians at the Elbe in 1945.

Regiments of the 69th which now take over at Dix are the 271st, 272d, and 273d, in addition to the extra 364th and 365th. Field Artillery battalions are the 724th, 879th, 880th, and 881st.

## Just Ask For Thomas



WHEN YOU say "Thomas" in the 503d MP Bn., of Fort Bragg, you'd better indicate which one. Here are six—from left, Pvt. Luther, Pvt. Charles E., Lt. Lemuel M., Pvt. William, Capt. George R., and Lt. Col. Kenneth E. Thomas, the 503d's CO. Latest duty for the Thomases has been Exercise Flash Burn.

## Paratroop Trainees Given New Jump Test At Benning

FORT BENNING, Ga.—Should paratroopers be introduced to height gradually or suddenly?

The answer to this question is being sought here by a group of psychologists who hope to eliminate or greatly reduce fear of height among airborne trainees in the Infantry School.

A mock training tower, with jumping platforms at 18, 26 and 34 feet, is now in operation, and researchers, under the direction of Dr. Charles Windle, are rating the performance of trainees at the three levels. At present, the Airborne Department introduces the trainee to height at the 34-foot level.

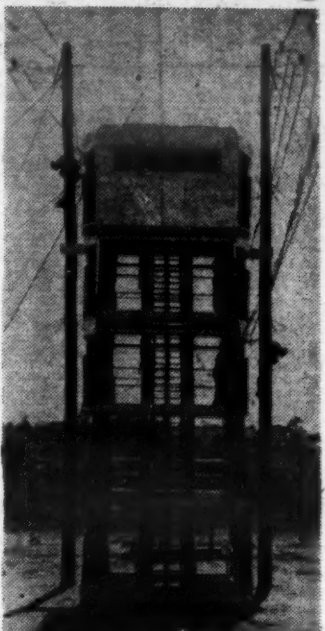
"We are working on the assumption that fear is related to height, and that the best way to overcome fear is to get used to it gradually," Dr. Windle said.

"Our guess is that men who start at the 18-foot level and work up to 34 feet through the 26-foot level will be less likely to fall than men who start immediately at 34 feet."

DR. WINDLE said that although the experiment, nicknamed "Project Hilo," is not yet complete, the results seem to indicate that men make more satisfactory jumps from the lower levels.

The Hilo experimenters also will rate jumpers by means of an apparatus which measures the force and time of each jump. A hydraulic mechanism will record how forcefully the jumper springs up and out, while an electric clock will measure the time between the jumper's tap and the jump.

"We believe that these more exact measures of force and latency may predict a man's



THIS is the tower being used in the Benning tests. Men are going off the 18-foot and 34-foot levels simultaneously. Researchers believe that fear is related to height, that best way to overcome fear is to get used to height gradually. Trainees work up from lower platforms to highest during the tests.

chances of passing or failing airborne training," Dr. Windle pointed out.

## Fort Slocum, Surrounded By Water, Now Rations It

FORT SLOCUM, N. Y.—Prompted by recent newspaper warnings forecasting the scarcity of water, this First Army post on David's Island in Long Island Sound is girding for war against the waste of water, according to Col. James B. Kraft, Fort Slocum, CO.

The post's water supply is piped through two submarine lines from New Rochelle, N. Y., Water Co., which draws its entire supply from

reservoirs in Westchester County and upper New York state that are rapidly being depleted through lack of rainfall.

Servicemen here have been asked to be sparing in use of water in barracks washrooms and mess hall kitchens. The post fire department is using sea water pumped from Long Island Sound to test hose during practice drills. Hydrants, which run water from New Rochelle, are only opened occasionally and then just enough to verify efficient operation in the event of a fire on the 88-acre island.

Limitations have been placed on washing autos and in watering lawns or gardens.

### Korea Medal Of Honor Winner Joins Vikings

FORT BENNING, Ga.—Medal of Honor winner M/Sgt. Ola L. Mize has reported here for assignment to the 47th Inf. Div. after nearly 13 months in Korea.

Mize, who was a corporal when he went to the Far East in April 1953, is credited with killing 65 Chinese at Outpost Harry near Surang-ni, June 10 and 11, 1953. At present, he is on a 30-day leave at the home of his mother, Mrs. Belle Mize, in Tampa, Fla.

## SEPE Scores Alaska Shipping Method Changed

SEATTLE PORT OF EM-BARKATION, Wash.—Future shipments of perishable subsistence to the Alaskan Theater will be made by controlled temperature van rather than by "bulk chill" shipping space as a result of a policy change announced by the Chief of Transportation.

The new service provides more frequent delivery direct from vendors in the United States to using installations in Alaska.

The change now provides virtually all of Alaska with the temperature controlled through van service. Previously, only stations north of - the - range, Ladd and Eielson Air Force Bases and Big Delta, had been receiving the van service.

THE AVERAGE civilian employee here used 20 percent less sick leave during the first quarter of 1954 than during similar quarter last year.

REDUCTION of moorage activities at the Kennedale Moorage Area with a substantial savings in salary and operating costs, was put into effect recently.

The reduction was made possible through removal of certain types of craft which had been carried as inactive by SEPE and for which disposition instructions were received permitting sale or storage. Another factor was the approval from the Transportation Materiel Command for rehabilitation of some of the craft formerly moored at Kennedale.

A PROJECT TEAM consisting of two representatives from the Cooper Committee, one representative from the Army Comptroller and one representative from OCOFT arrived here recently to review fiscal procedures.

The Cooper Committee, operating under the Office of the Secretary of Defense, is gathering material from field installations for the purpose of developing imational and reporting techniques proved fiscal, accounting, organizational for the Defense Department.

### To Represent Army

WASHINGTON.—Lt. Col. Rosalie D. Colhoun, deputy chief of the Army Nurse Corps, will represent the Army at the observance in New York City, May 12-13, of the centenary of Florence Nightingale's nursing experience in the Crimean War.

## Oh, My Aiken Back, Killroy Is At Gordon

CAMP GORDON, Ga.—Lists of names can turn up with almost anything. A recent roster reading at the Provost Marshal General Center revealed the following palate tickling names: Bacon, Cherry, Ham, Coffee, Bean, Rice and Roe.

In the ichthyological department we found: Herring, Bass, Trout (e), Perch (e) and to indulge in a bit of point stretching (always legal in a fish story), there is Fish and Crab.

For the student of ornithology there is first of all Bird followed by Crow (e), Partridge, Eagle, Finch, Sparrow and Swift.

The colorful name department divulges Black, White, Vermillion, Green and Brown.

Two traditional rivals, Lamb and Wolf, appear, and, in addition, we find Fox, Hart, Buck, and Bull. (In spite of the poetic leeway offered by the name, we didn't include Oliphant.)

Under Woods there are Maple, Birch, Beech and Oak (e).

For a football lineup (a la Notre Dame) we take: Wojciehowski, Matukaitis, Desruisseau, Ziemkowski, Schimandle, Koryzinski, Augienbaugh, Wisniewski, Staniszelewski and Paciarelo.

The best we could do in the Christmas vein was Bell and Holly. Here's another assortment for

you: Plummer, Carpenter, Barber, Cook, Baker and Shoemaker; then Bush, Brush, Blossom and Rose: Ford, Dodge, Nash, Austin, Kaiser and Hillman with, finally Ratn and Snow.

What's in a name??? Oh, my Aiken back, we found Killroy, too!

### Georgia ROA Chaplain

CAMP STEWART, Ga.—Chaplain (Maj.) George B. King, post chaplain, recently was named chaplain of the Georgia Department of the Reserve Officers' Association. Chaplain King, who served as a Navy enlisted man, in War I and as an Army chaplain during War II, was elected to serve for the 1954-55 session.

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### Draftee At Belvoir Gets Old Job Back

FORT BELVOIR, Va.—Pvt. Glynn E. Burchette is one soldier who can't gripe about his assignment.

Inducted last July, he is now working on the same job he held as a civilian here at the Engineers' Research and Development Laboratories, Fort Belvoir, Virginia.

Burchette does research on internal combustion engines. He was graduated from North Carolina State College in June, 1951, with a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering and started working on engines at Belvoir shortly after that. He is scheduled to be released from the Army in July, 1955.

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## Officer Promotions

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Promotions to captain went to 841 Army list officers, 29 MSC officers, 176 doctors (MC), three veterinarians (VC), one Chaplain, 20 women medical specialists (WMSM) and 22 Waacs.

DATES OF RANK for all officers depend on the Special Orders in which their names appear. For those in DA SO 83, it is April 28,

1954. Those in DA SO 84 have April 29, 1954, as their new date of rank. And those in DA SO 85 have April 30, 1954.

Selection boards meet this week at the Pentagon to pick new recommended lists for temporary promotions to captain and major.

Names of those promoted in DA SO's 83, 84 and 85 follow, with Regulars marked with an asterisk (\*), and National Guard officers marked with an (n):

**S. O. 83**  
**MAJ. TO LT. COL.**  
 \*George E. Albert, (TC)  
 Charles R. Alkire, (INF)  
 Walter E. Andrews, (INF)  
 Irvin H. Baker, (INF)  
 \*William J. Besser, (TC)  
 \*Orville E. Bloch, (INF)  
 \*F. E. Blumensadt, (ARTY)  
 \*C. G. Boalright, (INF)  
 W. H. Burnecheur, (ARTY)  
 \*Percy D. Brown Jr., (SIGC)  
 \*Richard K. Brown, (INF)  
 \*Emile J. Bussola, (INF)  
 \*Chester E. Canine, (TC)  
 Clarence L. Chapman, (TC)  
 D. A. Christiansen, (ARTY)  
 \*James F. Clark, (SIGC)  
 \*John W. Clifford, (ARTY)  
 \*E. W. Cox Jr., (TC)  
 \*Chas. H. Dickey 3d, (TC)  
 \*Earl C. Downey, (INF)  
 \*Franklin E. Duda, (TC)  
 \*Ronald W. Duffy, (INF)  
 \*Francis L. Duke, (INF)  
 \*Michael P. Elicano, (ARTY)  
 \*Robert D. Elkins, (ARTY)  
 \*Lloyd W. Engelland, (INF)  
 \*Kenneth B. Fiole, (INF)  
 \*David E. Foster, (ARTY)  
 \*Weaver H. Gaines, (INF)  
 \*Nat Giambelluca, (CMC)  
 \*Charles H. Gibbs, (TC)  
 \*Geard J. Glogus, (TC)  
 \*Joseph L. Gude, (INF)  
 \*John B. Hancock, (ARTY)  
 \*James Hantjes, (SIGC)  
 \*H. W. Hartung, (ARTY)  
 \*James H. Hausman, (INF)  
 \*David Herber, (CMC)  
 \*Clyde E. Hesse, (INF)  
 \*Ray F. Hoffman, (SIGC)  
 \*John T. Kane, (MPC)  
 \*Edwin C. Kinsley, (TC)  
 \*Paul Kinnison, (ARTY)  
 \*John C. Kulp Jr., (CMC)  
 \*George J. Luby, (SIGC)  
 \*C. H. Lytle Jr., (CMC)  
 \*W. G. Marks Jr., (ARMOR)  
 \*Richard A. Marshall, (INF)  
 \*Marshall G. McBee, (INF)  
 \*Frank J. McCabe, (ARTY)  
 \*C. W. McConnell, (TC)  
 \*W. J. McIntyre Jr., (SIGC)  
 \*Nicholas McKenna, (INF)  
 \*Edwin G. Moran, (CE)  
 \*J. J. Morrison, (ARMOR)  
 \*R. G. Murdoch, (ARMOR)  
 \*John H. Murphy, (INF)  
 \*Samuel H. Oakley, (TC)  
 \*F. N. Olinger Jr., (INF)  
 \*Donald P. Reese, (INF)  
 \*John R. Riddle, (INF)  
 \*LaRue H. Ritter, (INF)  
 \*H. M. Rutledge, (MPC)  
 \*James G. Russell, (ORDC)  
 \*William H. Secor, (MPC)  
 \*C. R. Shockey, (ARMOR)  
 \*John J. Spencer, (MPC)  
 \*William J. Stapp, (CE)  
 \*George R. Stockdale, (CE)  
 \*Oliver G. Stutzman, (CMC)  
 \*Wm. W. Sundlerin, (CMC)  
 \*Clarke W. Thornton, (SIGC)  
 \*Henry C. Tipton, (INF)  
 \*James H. Vaughan Jr., (INF)  
 \*Robert H. Ward, (INF)  
 \*Raymond J. Wardrop, (TC)  
 \*G. G. Washburn, (ARTY)  
 \*George E. Western, (INF)  
 \*Robert W. Wilder, (INF)  
 \*Harold G. Wilson, (ARTY)  
 \*Theo. H. Wineman, (ORDC)  
 \*Charles A. Wolfe, (INF)  
 \*Samuel S. Wood, (INF)  
 \*Kenneth J. Woods, (INF)  
 \*William L. Wyatt, (ARTY)  
**JAGC**  
 \*Thomas H. Birch  
 \*James E. Johnson  
 \*Hayden J. Price  
**MAJ. TO MAJ.**  
 \*Norbert S. Lang  
**MAJ. TO MAJ.**  
 \*Arthur A. Adams, (TC)  
 \*William M. Allen, (CE)  
 \*Ralph N. Armstrong, (FC)  
 \*Albert D. Barry, (INF)  
 \*James W. Benson, (CMC)  
 \*Orval W. Bowen, (ORDC)  
 \*Wm. G. Brantley, (CE)  
 \*Bernard S. Brask, (INF)  
 \*Donald D. Burke, (ARTY)  
 \*Ross D. Butler, (TC)  
 \*Herbert C. Byrd, (INF)  
 \*Russell D. Chaplin, (FC)  
 \*Lewis E. Childress, (ORDC)  
 \*William F. Christian, (AGC)  
 \*Edward J. Delaney, (AGC)  
 \*John F. Denhart, (TC)  
 \*Robert H. Donnelly, (CMC)  
 \*James W. Emerson, (CE)  
 \*Enrique Frontera, (FC)  
 \*Richard A. Gaines, (ARTY)  
 \*John G. Geider, (CE)  
 \*Joseph V. Guerlain, (SIGC)  
 \*Robert B. Haden, (TC)  
 \*Harry A. Halliwell, (AGC)

Abby W. Hardy, (CMC)  
 Marvin M. Harris, (CE)  
 Robert J. Hessler, (TC)  
 Chas. E. Hewitt Jr., (SIGC)  
 Gerald B. Hoover, (CMC)  
 \*Thomas J. Hyde, (ARTY)  
 Rexford R. Javins, (SIGC)  
 Glenn E. Johnson, (INF)  
 Ronald C. Johnson, (ARTY)  
 \*Allen M. Jordan, (INF)  
 Stanley C. Kettle, (ARMOR)  
 Karl Kim, (AGC)  
 Alfred E. Koenig, (INF)  
 B. J. Kulhanek, (ARTY)  
 Jack A. Osborne, (ARTY)  
 \*Wallis E. McClain, (ARTY)  
 \*Murrell B. McNeil, (CMC)  
 Wm. J. McWilliams, (ORDC)  
 Sheldon H. Mendelson, (INF)  
 \*Charles H. C. Mills, (AGC)  
 John J. Neary, (ORDC)  
 Chas. A. Nicholson, (INF)  
 Paul E. Nottage, (INF)  
 Paul R. O'Connell, (MPC)  
 Jack A. Osborne, (ARTY)  
 \*Harold D. Parker, (INF)  
 Thomas E. Peters, (ORDC)  
 George N. Prestidge, (INF)  
 N. P. Prewett Jr., (ORDC)  
 \*Paul O. Ritzke, (CE)  
 Vernon L. Schafer, (AGC)  
 Joseph Schwimer, (CMC)  
 Elvin F. Shultz, (ARTY)  
 James E. Smith, (ARTY)  
 \*Olivier M. Smith, (INF)  
 Richard A. Snow, (CE)  
 Earle K. Stewart, (INF)  
 Lester W. Stiles, (INF)  
 \*David Herber, (CMC)  
 \*Lila Orank Pukmond TAOIN  
 Vaughn P. Swift, (ARTY)  
 \*Henry S. Thippen, (CE)  
 Cyril J. Thorne, (ORDC)  
 William S. Thorne, (CE)  
 Lonnie C. Williams, (CE)  
**JAGC**  
 \*Joseph A. Hill  
 \*Charles A. Zuccardy  
**MAJ. TO MAJ.**  
 \*Benjamin L. Archer  
 \*Frank H. Austin  
 \*William R. Beisel  
 \*James S. Berger  
 \*Leland M. Bitner  
 \*Carl O. Brackenbush  
 \*David P. Buchanan  
 \*Irvin W. Cavedo Jr.  
 \*Crowell T. Daniel Jr.  
 \*Albert J. Davis Jr.  
 \*Robert L. Devine  
 \*Robert A. Etherington  
 \*Robert D. Gamble  
 \*Gordon E. Gifford  
 \*Donald H. Grew Jr.  
 \*James G. Russell, (ORDC)  
 \*Leon D. Graybill  
 \*Joseph L. Hannon  
 \*Charles L. Hedberg  
 \*Harry P. Hurd  
 \*Robert W. Irvin Jr.  
 \*Edward H. Johnston  
 \*Cecil H. Kimball  
 \*James M. Lauderdale  
 \*William C. Matousek  
 \*Richard E. McGovern  
 \*Charles A. Moore  
 \*Robert W. Moseley  
 \*Thomas H. Moseley  
 \*Arthur A. Murray  
 \*Richard E. O'Byrne  
 \*Kenneth N. Owens  
 \*John H. Painter  
 \*Paul W. Palmer  
 \*Alois Pecznik  
 \*William G. Flippin  
 \*James E. Frost Jr.  
 \*Robert K. Raders  
 \*Harold Rosegay  
 \*William J. Sayer  
 \*Lee A. Steele  
 \*Molloy G. Veal Jr.  
 \*William H. Whitmore Jr.  
 \*William H. Wright  
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 \*Herbert A. Keith  
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 \*Fred Schneider  
 \*Francis O. Stalker  
 \*Francis H. Vonnahmen  
 \*Murray Weinstein  
 \*Adolphus G. White  
 \*Irven R. Cooper Jr.  
 \*Gabriel Nossov  
 \*William E. Riley  
 \*Wilford A. Sigmund  
 \*Charles B. Ablett, (ORDC)  
 \*Ralls C. Acker Jr., (ARMOR)  
 \*Dwight L. Adams, (INF)  
 \*John T. Adams Jr., (INF)  
 \*P. G. Adams Jr., (ARMOR)  
 \*J. F. Ahern Jr., (ARMOR)  
 \*Clermont P. Allen, (ARMOR)

\*Henry T. Allison, (MPC)  
 Marvin M. Allums, (ARTY)  
 \*B. J. Ambrose, (INF)  
 Forrest E. Asher, (ORDC)  
 \*L. R. Atkinson, (INF)  
 \*Horace E. Bailey, (INF)  
 \*Robert M. Baker, (ARMOR)  
 \*Louis P. Bayard, (INF)  
 \*John L. Begley, (INF)  
 \*Francis L. Bennett, (ARTY)  
 \*Edward E. Betts, (ARMOR)  
 \*Ray A. Bioknell, (INF)  
 \*Doyle B. Bigham, (ARTY)  
 \*Brian E. Bjork, (CE)  
 \*Arthur H. Blair, (CE)  
 \*Harold K. Blometh, (ARTY)  
 \*Charles L. Boone, (CE)  
 \*Cullian O. Bowline, (ARTY)  
 \*L. R. Boyer Jr., (FC)  
 \*Frank E. Boyer, (SIGC)  
 \*Charles W. Boykin, (ARTY)  
 \*David M. Boseman, (ARTY)  
 \*Geo. E. Bradbury, (ARTY)  
 \*William C. Brandt, (CE)  
 \*William C. Brown, (CE)  
 \*Jay C. Burch, (INF)  
 \*William G. Burke, (INF)  
 \*Jas. J. Butcher, (TC)  
 \*Lionel A. Butler, (FC)  
 \*Lionel P. Byrd, (ARTY)  
 \*John A. Callahan, (CMC)  
 \*Jas. G. Campbell Jr., (INF)  
 \*Dennis C. Canant, (CE)  
 \*Louis S. Caras, (CMC)  
 \*Charles C. Carpenter, (INF)  
 \*Joe T. Carrolo, (ARTY)  
 \*Richard L. Carson, (SIGC)  
 \*Harry G. Catharine, (INF)  
 \*J. P. Chabourne Jr., (FC)  
 \*Wesley Chase, (INF)  
 \*G. X. Chaves Jr., (ARTY)  
 \*George E. Clifford, (ORDC)  
 \*Leonard B. Cofield, (INF)  
 \*Landy A. Cole, (INF)  
 \*Clarence C. Conner, (ARTY)  
 \*Jack A. Colvin, (INF)  
 \*Gaylord W. Cook, (CE)  
 \*Richard T. Corsi, (MI)  
 \*Charles B. Costen, (INF)  
 \*John Covach, (CE)  
 \*Arthur J. Cramer, (SIGC)  
 \*Cletus C. Culp Jr., (CE)  
 \*Chas. W. Cummins, (ARTY)  
 \*George A. Custer, (INF)  
 \*Norman C. Day, (CE)  
 \*Clarence DeCiccone, (ARTY)  
 \*Louis R. DeGuevara, (TC)  
 \*Gerald M. Dean, (ORDC)  
 \*William R. Deeler, (ARTY)  
 \*Jas. F. Demmerger, (ORDC)  
 \*Charles A. Denner, (ARTY)  
 \*Roy A. Dixon, (MC)  
 \*Robert G. Dorsey, (CE)  
 \*Thos. F. Dreisostok, (INF)  
 \*Richard T. Dunphy, (INF)  
 \*Tom H. Durham Jr., (INF)  
 \*Bill L. Dutton, (INF)  
 \*John F. Eggers, (INF)  
 \*John W. Elliott Jr., (INF)  
 \*John T. Evans, (INF)  
 \*William R. Exley, (ARTY)  
 \*John W. Fahy, (INF)  
 \*B. D. Falkenburg Jr., (CE)  
 \*Robert T. Fallon, (FC)  
 \*Edward H. Johnston  
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 \*J. F. Ahern Jr., (ARMOR)  
 \*Clermont P. Allen, (ARMOR)

Jack E. Himes, (CE)  
 Wallace R. Hinton, (ORDC)  
 \*John J. Hoch, (ARTY)  
 Robert L. Hodges, (TC)  
 Addison N. Hooper, (ARMOR)  
 \*Louis L. Holder, (INF)  
 \*Robert C. Holt, (INF)  
 Thomas A. Holt, (ARTY)  
 John C. Holton, (MPC)  
 \*James J. Hooper, (ARTY)  
 \*Jack C. Hoyer, (CE)  
 \*Willbur G. Hudson, (CE)  
 \*Richard L. Hunt, (CE)  
 \*John E. Hurst Jr., (CE)  
 \*Wm. H. Husted, (AGC)  
 \*Reed G. Jensen, (INF)  
 \*L. Johnson Jr., (ARMOR)  
 \*Lawrence R. Hoy, (Wharlies)  
 \*G. W. Johnson, (ARTY)  
 \*Harrison H. Johnson, (TC)  
 \*August E. Jones, (AGC)  
 \*Clinton K. Jones, (TC)  
 James W. Jones, (ARTY)  
 \*Philip D. Jones, (ARTY)  
 \*William L. Jones, (ARTY)  
 \*Marion D. Joyce, (INF)  
 \*Philip Kaplan, (INF)  
 \*Walter J. Keane, (INF)  
 \*James B. Keel, (INF)  
 \*William P. Keller, (AGC)  
 \*John L. Kengia, (ORDC)  
 \*William C. Kennedy, (INF)  
 \*Walter J. Klein, (INF)  
 \*Jim H. Kolster, (ARTY)  
 \*John L. Koster, (SIGC)  
 \*R. J. Kozal, (ARMOR)  
 \*B. W. Kramer, (ORDC)  
 \*Calvin Kusler, (INF)  
 \*John S. Lally Jr., (MI)  
 \*Melvin K. Lander, (MPC)  
 \*Donald W. Larson, (MPC)  
 \*Robert W. Lauber, (INF)  
 \*William S. Leach, (CE)  
 \*Herbert M. Lechner, (CE)  
 \*John L. Leck, (INF)  
 \*William E. LeGro Jr., (INF)  
 \*George H. Lehmer, (ARTY)  
 \*Bruce J. Leiser, (CE)  
 \*James A. Lillard, (INF)  
 \*Randy L. Lister, (ARTY)  
 \*Emil P. Lind, (MPC)  
 \*Carl A. Linder, (MI)  
 \*Howard Littlefield, (CE)  
 \*Richard J. Lons, (ARTY)  
 \*Burt H. Lowe, (INF)  
 \*James E. Lynch, (CE)  
 \*F. A. MacDonald, (ORDC)  
 \*John H. Madison Jr., (INF)  
 \*William C. Maglin, (MPC)  
 \*John J. Maher, (INF)  
 \*A. Manchoff, (INF)  
 \*H. S. Marcantonio, (ARMOR)  
 \*Otto Mardos, (TC)  
 \*Wayne A. Maute, (ARTY)  
 \*Fred W. May, (INF)  
 \*Alfred McClure, (ARTY)  
 \*Edward J. McDavid, (INF)  
 \*M. F. McDermott Jr., (ORDC)  
 \*Wm. E. McDowell, (INF)  
 \*R. J. McElroy, (SIGC)  
 \*A. Harold P. McKinney, (MI)  
 \*Billy J. Mendheim, (ARTY)  
 \*Ray G. Mendoza Jr., (INF)  
 \*May C. Mergenthal, (ARTY)  
 \*Glen Messer, (SIGC)  
 \*Justin C. Messinger, (ARTY)  
 \*Sigmund T. Meyers, (INF)  
 \*George E. Miller, (AGC)  
 \*Glenn E. Miller, (AGC)  
 \*John J. Miller, (INF)  
 \*Robert C. Miller, (INF)  
 \*Roger L. Miller, (AGC)  
 \*Arthur C. Mitchell, (INF)  
 \*Robert A. Moger, (AS)  
 \*Viggo C. Moir, (ARMOR)  
 \*Don W. Moore, (INF)  
 \*Matthew C. Moore, (MPC)  
 \*Young Moore 3d, (ORDC)  
 \*John R. Morgan, (ORDC)  
 \*Gordon H. Morgan, (ARTY)  
 \*John J. Moscato, (ARMOR)  
 \*Jesse A. Murga, (INF)  
 \*Samuel P. Muse, (INF)  
 \*Merland W. Nelson, (ARTY)  
 \*Wallace W. Nelson, (SIGC)  
 \*Arthur Newell, (INF)  
 \*Gilbert Newman, (INF)  
 \*Marshall E. Noel, (INF)  
 \*Stephen M. Noland, (INF)  
 \*A. B. Noland, (SIGC)  
 \*Louis W. Odom, (INF)  
 \*Richard T. Omori, (INF)  
 \*H. L. Oppenbom Jr., (INF)  
 \*Frank M. O'Quinn, (CE)  
 \*Robert T. Owen, (INF)  
 \*Merrill R. Owen, (TC)  
 \*P. O. Packard Jr., (ARTY)  
 \*Oscar M. Padgett, (ARMOR)  
 \*William M. Pass, (INF)  
 \*Donald J. Pate, (ARMOR)  
 \*Fred W. Perkins, (INF)  
 \*G. L. Parmeter, (ARMOR)  
 \*Donald L. Parrack, (ARTY)  
 \*D. E. Parsons, (ARMOR)  
 \*Frank L. Pate, (TC)  
 \*Charles L. Pearson, (INF)  
 \*William J. Pegg, (ARTY)  
 \*Robt. M. Petersen, (ARTY)  
 \*Homer W. Poerner, (ARTY)  
 \*James V. Pogue, (ARMOR)  
 \*C. A. Pritchett Jr., (INF)  
 \*Cortland R. Prosser, (TC)  
 \*D. V. Puccio, (SIGC)  
 \*Melvin H. Raab, (CMC)  
 \*William G. Raur, (ORDC)  
 \*Lynn R. Raybould, (ARTY)  
 \*John A. Richbourg, (CE)  
 \*R. E. Robinson, (INF)  
 \*Richard C. Rogers, (INF)  
 \*Hector R. Rosado, (ARTY)  
 \*Richard D. Row, (MPC)  
 \*Francis A. Saller, (CMC)  
 \*Robt. C. Sanders, (INF)  
 \*Paul R. Sauber 2d, (MI)  
 \*Neil L. Schell, (ARMOR)  
 \*Fred G. Schuler, (AGC)  
 \*James R. Scott, (ARTY)  
 \*Burwell W. Seay Jr., (TC)  
 \*Carl M. Seelye, (CE)  
 \*Wilbur E. Sellers, (INF)  
 \*Eugene E. Sellman, (INF)  
 \*Norman N. Semon, (ARTY)  
 \*George B. Shaffer, (CE)  
 \*James L. Shannon, (INF)  
 \*James R. Shea, (CMC)  
 \*L. D. Shields, (ARTY)  
 \*Donald A. Sidler, (INF)  
 \*Harry E. Simons, (TC)  
 \*Wm. B. Simpson, (CE)  
 \*Irvin D. Slauson, (INF)

Jack D. Smaydew, (ARTY)  
 \*Chas. R. Smith Jr., (INF)  
 \*Harold F. Smith Jr., (INF)  
 \*James B. Smith, (INF)  
 \*James F. Smith, (CE)  
 \*Merrell H. Smith, (SIGC)  
 \*Hubert L. Solomon, (ARTY)  
 \*Max R. Stallcup, (ARMOR)  
 \*W. C. Stanton Jr., (INF)  
 \*Joe P. St. Clair, (INF)  
 \*D. J. Steadman, (CE)  
 \*R. W. Stenquist, (INF)  
 \*Philip H. Stevens, (ARTY)  
 \*F. V. Stittman, (SS)  
 \*Orville M. Strand, (INF)  
 \*Raymond L. Stull, (CMC)  
 \*Sherwood S. Stula, (INF)  
 \*Leon H. Sugg Jr., (INF)  
 \*D. J. Swelmer, (ARTY)  
 \*John P. Tankersley, (INF)  
 \*Patrick H. Taylor, (ARTY)  
 \*Foch P. Terry, (ARMOR)  
 \*Leo B. Theroux Jr., (CE)  
 \*F. X. Theroux Jr., (INF)  
 \*Oliver W. Thumason, (ARTY)  
 \*R. W. Timberman, (INF)  
 \*Jas. L. Travers Jr., (CE)  
 \*Donald E. Treat, (ARMOR)  
 \*Carl J. Trim, (MPC)  
 \*Corseal B. Turner, (CE)  
 \*Wm. F. Turner, (ARMOR)  
 \*Clyde Ufer, (INF)  
 \*Wm. S. Vargovick, (CMC)  
 \*John L. Vestal, (INF)  
 \*John F. Vetter, (SIGC)  
 \*Jack L. Waddell, (ARTY)  
 \*James B. Walker, (CE)  
 \*Edwin S. Walters, (CE)  
 \*Howard C. Walters, (INF)  
 \*Joseph H. Webster, (INF)  
 \*Volney F. Warner, (INF)  
 \*Robert C. Watson Jr., (CE)  
 \*Jas. Webb, (ARTY)  
 \*John W. White, (INF)  
 \*Philip H. Webb, (INF)  
 \*Robert E. Webb, (INF)  
 \*Charles G. Weber, (ARMOR)  
 \*Randal R. Weesner, (SIGC)  
 \*Stanley W. Weisler, (INF)  
 \*Edward C. West, (CE)  
 \*Jack W. Whaley, (ARTY)  
 \*Chas. R. Whaley, (CMC)  
 \*Jack H. Wheatley, (CE)  
 \*Frederick H. White, (INF)  
 \*N. M. White Jr., (AGC)  
 \*Alan B. Whiteside, (ARTY)  
 \*George E. Whitney, (INF)  
 \*James A. Whitten, (INF)  
 \*William C. Whittier, (ORDC)  
 \*Curtis L. Willett, (ARMOR)  
 \*Alun R. Williams, (ARMOR)  
 \*Elton C. Williams, (CMC)  
 \*Allen F. Willson Jr., (ARTY)  
 \*Fred W. Willson, (INF)  
 \*Donald F. Wood, (INF)  
 \*Marion M. Wood, (CE)  
 \*Earl K. Woolley, (INF)  
 \*Douglas R. Wyllie, (CMC)  
 \*Everett L. Wyllie, (CE)  
 \*W. A. Yacker 3d, (ARTY)  
 \*Harris S. Yeates, (AC)  
 \*Harold D. Yow, (INF)  
 \*B. L. Zartner, (ARMOR)  
**MAJ. TO LT. COL.**  
 \*John C. Allan, (ARMOR)  
 \*A. S. Armstrong, (TC)  
 \*Frank J. Arnold, (ARTY)  
 \*Harold W. Athan, (SIGC)  
 \*Joe J. Baratta, (ARMOR)  
 \*Edward E. Beda, (ORDC)  
 \*A. L. Bellamy, (ORDC)  
 \*C. Bingham Jr., (CMC)  
 \*Robt. D. Brangan, (TC)  
 \*Thos. F. Bristol, (SIGC)  
 \*Wm. D. Canfield, (SIGC)  
 \*John E. Carter, (ORDC)  
 \*Melvin D. Clark, (ORDC)  
 \*Bernard P. Coburn, (CMC)  
 \*Philip H. Conner, (ARTY)  
 \*Ray F. Coyle Jr., (AGC)  
 \*Donald J. Crowder, (ARTY)  
 \*Charles E. Davis, (INF)  
 \*Jos. J. Delaney, (TC)  
 \*W. J. Flanagan, (TC)  
 \*A. M. Fraglia, (CMC)  
 \*Lee F. Fritter, (INF)  
 \*John R. Gabbert, (ARTY)  
 \*Edwin C. Gibson, (INF)  
 \*Wm. C. Goers, (INF)  
 \*Chester H. Hancock, (AGC)  
 \*Harold Hanford, (CE)  
 \*Lyle E. Herber, (FC)  
 \*James B. Hewette, (INF)  
 \*Thomas F. Hooper, (INF)  
 \*Bristol S. Hopper, (ARTY)  
 \*Robt. L. Huffaker, (MPC)  
 \*Richard H. Huffer, (MPC)  
 \*Delbert L. Jellum, (ARTY)  
 \*Lester A. Kearney, (INF)  
 \*C. R. Keegan, (INF)  
 \*E. W. Kraftschik, (INF)  
 \*Fred C. Krueger, (SIGC)  
 \*Chas. J. Larsen, (INF)  
 \*Ray G. Lawrence, (CE)  
 \*C. E. Lippincott, (ARMOR)  
 \*John R. Lucas, (ARMOR)  
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# Exercise Flashburn Ends; Army Evaluates Innovations



**TWO PARATROOPERS** in the mass jump by the 82d Abn. Div. during Exercise Flashburn found traffic pretty snarled even at a thousand feet. But this collision had a happy ending. The two jumpers (center) untangled themselves and descended safely. The third (lower) parachute holds a man who got tangled up all by himself.

FORT BRAGG, N. C.—Exercise Flashburn, which called for the biggest paratroop since War II, is being evaluated this week by the Army's leaders. The exercise, which ended Saturday, was the first large-scale atomic maneuver staged by the Army.

There were scores of "firsts" and oddities in the maneuver. These included:

## Two Wartime Chiefs See 82d Jump

THE 82d Airborne Division's two wartime commanders — Generals Matthew B. Ridgway and James M. Gavin — returned to the division's War II training grounds to watch the All-Americans as the monumental atomic maneuver moved into high gear. Gen. Ridgway, present Army Chief of Staff who led the division into combat in War II, and Maj. Gen. Gavin, Army G-3 who led the 82d in its last heroic days on Europe's battlefields, both praised the division for its leading role in Exercise Flashburn.

The massive assault from the sky, involving more than 9000 fully equipped paratroopers, was staged on Camp Mackall's five Drop Zones — the same DZ's which had been used to prepare the division for combat.

Gen. Ridgway, walking briskly onto a Drop Zone to inspect a heavy drop load, praised the Army and Air Force for the imagination displayed.

Gen. Gavin, whose men called him "General Jim" during the war, noted at least one improvement that had been made over the years — about 800 battle-ready troopers cleared their Drop Zone in 15 minutes.

"We once thought 20 minutes was good," declared the youthful general.

## Medium Arty Bn. Is Airlanded

THE first time in airborne operations that a full battalion of medium artillery weapons had

been airlanded took place at Camp Mackall, N. C., in Flashburn. All eighteen 155 mm. howitzers of the 82d Abn. Division's 98th Abn. FA Bn., were airlanded during the Army's monumental atomic maneuvers.

Also airlanded during the same phase of the exercise were four Long Tom 155's of the 540th FA Bn., a unit of XVIII Airborne Corps Artillery. B Battery's guns were used in the move.

The 98th, commanded by Lt. Col. James P. Mulcahy, is a unit of the 82d's supporting arms.

## Paratroopers' Loads Get Redistributed

A NEW method of distributing a paratrooper's equipment and supplies was tested during the exercise by Hq. and Hq. Co. of the 82d Airborne Division's 325th AIR.

The new method, originally devised by Capt. Theodore A. Seely, Jr., Commander of Hq. and Hq. Co. is designed to make a trooper's load more compact and at the same time reduce the amount of weight he must carry.

It allows a greater supply of ammunition to be carried and reduces the maximum load on a man's back to 35 pounds after he has shed his jumping equipment.

All available space in a uniform was utilized for carrying purposes. The large pockets on field trousers carried a day's supply of "assault rations" and an extra pair of socks and underwear.

The canvas contained holding the rifle also carried extra ammunition. Around each man's waist a pack held two cans of .50 caliber machine gun ammunition of six mines.

The Flashburn test of Capt. Seely's new distribution method were conducted by the Intelligence and Reconnaissance Platoon of Hq. and Hq. Co.

## 'Non-Detectable' Mine Also Was Tested

A NEW anti-personnel mine which cannot be detected by electronic devices was used for the first time by troops in the exercise.

The mine has a non-metallic body to foil electronic sweepers and will deny use of the ground in which it is planted for the duration of any war, according to Engineer officers.

Only practical method of locating these explosives once they are laid is by probing the earth gently with a bayonet or other sharp instrument — a means which does not allow the speedy clearing of large areas.

The T-34 mine, a training version of the Army's M-14 non-detectable, anti-personnel mine was added to the list of new weapons used in Flashburn.

The Engineers secured some 10,000 practice versions of these mines for soldiers to use. In addition to these, there were large numbers of standard training mines, both anti-tank and anti-personnel.

## 'Aggressor Annie' Tempted Troops

TO school children in Fayetteville, N. C., Mrs. Dorothy O'Connell is known as teacher,



PFC ROBERT A. WILSON, kneeling, dropped in on Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway during the "Flashburn" maneuver, but the general thought for a while Wilson wouldn't be able to make it. The trooper got his emergency chute open just in time after his main parachute failed. Wilson is a member of Co. E, 325th Abn. Inf. Regt. Gen. Ridgway commanded the 82d in War II.

but troops engaged in Exercise Flashburn have another name for her. They call her Aggressor Annie.

In the mornings, the 21-year-old Hutchinson, Kan., housewife, a pretty and vivacious brunette, made her usual rounds of five local elementary schools in her job as a speech correctionist for third to sixth graders.

But evenings her voice rang out across the sandhills and pine woods of the huge Bragg military reservation, where 60,000 troops were taking part in the largest maneuver since War II, and where the Army asked her to do another type of job.

She did not go into the field. But her voice, recorded in tape and broadcast over loudspeakers, did.

Battle-weary soldiers heard her soft voice:

"Soldiers of the U. S. forces! Lay down your arms! Come over to Aggressor where food and safety awaits you in our rest camps!"

## Chaplains And Altars Went With Troopers

WHEREVER they were during Flashburn—in isolated fields or remote forests — the troops knew that chaplains were there to minister their religious needs.

Many of the 60,000 men did not have the opportunity to attend religious services on the post or in the city. However, a group of chaplains was in the field.

Lt. Col. O. H. Tietjen, who organized and coordinated religious activities for Flashburn, estimates there were 44 chaplains active in the maneuver. These men lived in the field, jumped with the paratroopers, moved up with the infantry.

Chaplains were issued "Field Altar Kits" to enable them to create the atmosphere of worship against their background of trees and sky, and foxholes.

Besides conducting services, the chaplains were available to counsel men in their personal problems.

## Aviation Ratings 'Vital' In Decade, Official Says

GARY AFB, Tex. — Any decent command ten years from now will be filled with an officer who is aviation rated, Lt. Col. J. Elmore Swenson, secretary of the Army Aviation School at Fort Sill, Okla., said recently.

Addressing 34 student Army officers who received certificates of flying proficiency at graduation ceremonies here, Swenson answered past criticisms that there is no future for the individual in Army aviation:

"Mobility, of which aviation is part, is becoming such a rapid and integral part of the Army, I believe that in ten years you will not be able to get a decent command unless you are aviation rated."

Swenson said mobility is the keyword in the future of the Army, and liaison and helicopter aviation will be the means to attain that mobility.

"Our future enemy," he said, "will have more troops and more guns than we will have. That means we will have to be able to shift rapidly to parry their thrusts." Helicopter transportation answers that need, while liaison planes are "the eyes of the Army," he said.

THE AVIATION School secretary said the Army aviator's future is assured if he continues to educate himself to use the light

aircraft as a tool, and makes it a policy to educate others about Army aviation.

"Once you do learn the aircraft thoroughly," Swenson said, "you must remember it is only a tool. It is not the colonels in Army aviation who perfect new flying techniques. It is the young pilot in the field."

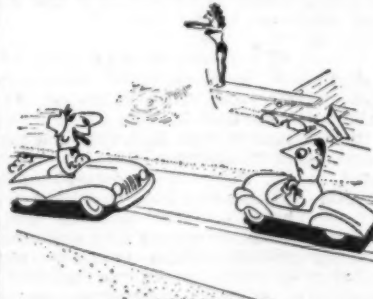
About 87 percent of Army pilots in the field, the colonel said, will be working for a commander who is non-rated. "Aviation officers, especially junior pilots, must seek constantly to advise their officers about the aircraft's potentials and limitations."

"In the future, we hope that all officers can get some flying hours. In the meantime, you must continually be educating."

## Belvoir First Post To Give Polio Shots

FORT BELVOIR, Va. — First, second and third graders of the elementary school here at the Engineer Center were administered salk polio vaccine last week, the first time for children at a military post.

Lt. Col. Robert C. Buehrig, chief of out-patient clinic, performed the vaccinations. He was assisted by Capt. Joan B. Larum, Army Nurse Corps, and a few volunteers.



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## ● THE OLD SERGEANT

## Nippled Bottles Next In Fight Business?

By PAUL GOOD

"JOHN L. SULLIVAN is probably rollin' in his grave," old rough and ready said sadly the other morning, "An' I expect Ruddy Bob Fitzsimmons is doin' the same thing only more so."

"You're referring to two former heavyweight champions who have answered the last bell, I assume," I replied. "Do you mean that something has happened in the boxing world that might cause them upset in that other world?"

"Cause them upset there an' me upset here," he said. "Mebbe you been readin' about a heavyweight they call Hurricane Jackson. Up to a few nights ago, this Jackson was goin' through the division like a cat through a goldfish pond. He kept poundin' on Rex Layne's head till he started a small-size coma inside an' then he worked over an upstandin' heavy named Dan Butcheroni until he looked like a Kansas City steak."

"THEN last week he fights a fellow named Slade, who is just about as tough as stale licorice an' likes to fight better than a wife. With the result that Hurricane got bombed good. But what happens after he loses? Does he admit he got whipped? Does he promise to turn Slade into a corpse next time they fight? He does not. Instead, this 192 pounds of bone, muscle and collyflower ear says, 'It's my mother's fault I didn't win.'"

"You mean Jackson actually blamed the loss on his mother?" I asked.

"He not only did that, sonny, but he complained to reporters that she wouldn't let him out at night. He said she tucks him into bed before any of the good tellyvision programs come on an' gives him a thump if he don't brush his teeth. Now all I gotta say to that is that boxin' must be worse off than anybody suspected an' is 7 to 5 to get worse."

"WHY, back when fighters was men they didn't even have mothers. When a man got whipped he didn't look for excuses. He looked for an alleyway to continue the engagement in. Can you imagine Jack Dempsey or that gutty Frenchman, Carpentier, puttin' the blame on their dear old mothers when they got clouted? Or sayin' they had to be in bed by 9:30? The only time them old-timers slept was when they got knocked out or swallyed too much red-eye."

"An' do you think any of the old champs had proper schoolin'? They'd sooner have gallopin' dysentery. But nowadays there's so many college men clutterin' up the prize rings that it's hard to tell Madison Square from Harvard."

"Now, wait a minute," I interrupted. "You're surely not saying that because young fighters today are fortunate enough to matriculate past high school that they automatically don't make good fighters."

"I'M SAYIN' that an' a little more," the Old Sergeant shot back. "A man goes into the ring needs hate in his heart an' blood in his eye, an' knowin' Shakespeare or ancient hist'ry ain't goin' to help him to have it."

"Will it hurt him?" "You're damn tootin' it'll hurt him the same as eatin' canned dog food an' sleepin' on rugs would hurt a dog fightin' a wolf. Anythin' that takes a fighter a little bit further from bein' a cave man makes him a worse fighter. Fighters should train on raw meat, learn nothin' but how to throw lefts an' rights an' to bob an'

weave, an' only be happy clobberin' or gettin' clobbered."

"THAT WAY, the public will get to see good fights an' we won't be treated to the spectacle of Hurricane Jackson cryin' that his mother an' not him dropped the duke. Enough guys like him stay aroun' we'll have social workers doin' the refereein' an' nipples on the water bottles."

## ● BOOKS

## Y'All, Yankees Blend In South

By MONTGOMERY FAIRFAX

**SOUTHERN ACCENT:** From Uncle Remus to Oak Ridge, by William T. Polk. William Morrow & Co., N. Y. 264 pages. \$4.

William T. Polk, is associate editor of a North Carolina daily paper. His portrait of the South shows a realism and understanding possessed by none of the professional South-lovers and South-haters.

The modern South, Polk writes, really consists of two parts, the old and the new, which exist side by side. He says the South again is producing some of the nation's leading thinkers and writers, the way it did before the Civil War. Polk describes the effect of industrialization on the way of life usually associated with the South.

**THE GIRL IN THE CAGE,** by Ben Benson. William Morrow and Co., N. Y. 218 pages. \$2.75.

Ben Benson's seventh mystery story in four years is a fast, hard yarn without the excessive violence and sex of the Spillane-type story. The girl in the title is a young lady who is being blackmailed because of her petty larcenous father. Before her tormenter gets his deserts, the Massachusetts State police hero solves a murder and uncovers a gang of car thieves.

The author keeps the story moving, avoids the bizarre and coincidence, and does not make the pretty heroine marry the handsome hero.

**THE FAITHS MEN LIVE BY,** by Charles Francis Potter. Prentice-Hall, N. Y. 323 pages. \$3.95.

For over 30 years a liberal clergyman in New York City and founder of the first Humanist Society, Dr. Potter has written his book with the purpose of helping people appreciate the good in religions other than their own, and possibly enabling those of no particular faith to pick out one they like.

Although somewhat rambling, the book does give a comprehensive picture of more than 50 religions, showing the basic beliefs, rituals and customs of each.

**NOTES:** The Army is getting a publicity plug in an unofficial Air Force book being published May 15 in Tokyo. "The Greatest Airlift—The Story of Combat Cargo," is a 476 page, 1000-picture yarn about the Far East Forces' Korean Airlift.

The book sells for \$3, and is available from Custodian, 315th Air Division Welfare Fund, APO 704. The two Army units getting the most attention are the 187th RCT, which was dropped into combat by the Air Force, and the 8081st Army Unit, an aerial supply outfit.

## ● SHOW

## Biz

SUSAN HAYWARD and a 20th Century-Fox crew are on location in the wilds of Africa filming "Untamed." . . . Lisa Daniels has just finished her first film role in "Man in the Attic." . . . Universal has confirmed Barbara Rush as co-star with Rock Hudson in "Captain Lightfoot." . . . Fox has bought "The Sheriff of Fractured Jaw," a Canadian magazine piece, as a possible film for Clifton Webb. . . . Lana Turner has been elbowed out of the role of yesteryear's French charmer, Gaby Deslys, by Tamara Toumanova. She'll appear in the Sigmund Romberg biography "Deep in My Heart." . . . Mark Allen, currently playing in the Broadway hit, "The Solid Gold Cadillac," has been signed by Columbia for a part in "The Long Gray Line," being filmed at West Point.



LISA DANIELS

## ● MUSIC ON RECORD

## Mel Powell Rides Again And 'Melvyn' Makes Debut

By TED SHARPE

TO MANY of us, pianist Mel Powell's return to wax is balm for the soul. Powell is undeniably one of the finest musicians in the world of jazz.

At 14 he was playing with Muggsy Spanier and assorted big name jazz groups around New York. At 16 he joined Benny Goodman's band and sextet and remained with Benny until he was drafted at the age of 18. During the war he was the key man in Glenn Miller's Air Force Band.

After the war, in a move unprecedented in the music business, Mel gave up active work in jazz as one of its leading exponents to study composition at Yale University, where he was closely associated with Paul Hindemith. He studied piano with Nadia Reisenberg and taught composition.

Aside from rare concerts and TV appearances (mostly with Benny Goodman) he has been lost to the jazz world for over five years. He is now teaching theory at Queens College.

MEL'S NEW record, an LP on the Vanguard label especially recorded for high-fidelity reproduction, includes jazz by "Mel" Powell and an all-star group of pros, and a classical sonatina written and played by "Melvyn" Powell, "solo pianist." Yes, Melvyn, yet.

On the four jazz tunes with Mel are Buck Clayton, the great trumpet man; Edmond Hall, veteran clarinetist; Henderson Chambers, trombonist; Steve Jordan, guitarist; Walter Page, former Count Basie bass man; and Jimmy Crawford, drummer with the old Jimmy Lunceford band for many years.

Tunes are "S Wonderful, It's Been So Long, I Must Have That

Man, and You're Lucky To Me. The rhythm section is superb throughout. The recording is excellent. As advertised, the balance and wide-range is unique on jazz records. For once, there is not too much bass.

Clayton's fat trumpet and Hall's swinging, reedy clarinet are much in evidence throughout. Powell, as always, plays magnificent piano.

Mel is a welcome relief from many jazz pianists around today who can play block chords, bebop runs, and little else. Powell plays with two hands all the time. And melodically, too.

Tunes I liked the most were "You're Lucky To Me" and "I Must Have That Man." (Ever notice how similar "I Must Have That Man" and "She's Funny That Way" are?). Clayton is particularly fine on "You're Lucky."

POWELL'S "Sonatina," the classical composition, is—as the title indicates—written in three movements. I liked it.

Incidentally, there is a jazz feel to this sonatina and it sounds natural and right, not forced as often seems the way with most of Gershwin's "classical" things, for example. Indeed, it would seem as though the serious music of this century will develop from work such as this and not from slavish emulation of things past.

All in all, the Powell album is unreservedly recommended from this corner.

**POSTSCRIPT:** The music for "The Lonely Night," a full-length documentary film on psychiatry soon to be released, was written by Mel Powell. Mel—or should we say Melvyn?—has also been commissioned to write a harpsichord sonata for Fernando Valenti.

ONE OF the greatest jazz trum-



Tree's May issue is loaded. A book length feature about flying saucers is written by the man who should know most about them, Capt. Edward J. Ruppelt, the Air Force officer in charge of investigating the saucers. His conclusions: They are either interplanetary or they don't exist. In the same issue is an excellent series of paintings by Frederic Remington, one of the greatest portrayers of the Old West. Also Lucian Cary has an article which describes how the Army is concentrating on rifle marksmanship. He says part of the emphasis is on doing away with "caliber 30 pencils" on the rifle ranges.

People Today, May 5 issue, quotes a bosomy Mexican actress as declaring: "A man under 40 is only an amateur at love."

Motion Picture says that the actress who raised a fuss with her mink bathing suit in Korea last year has a constant photographer in attendance—her mother. Lucille Ball and Desi Arnaz are featured on the cover.

The current Aero Digest has an article on something called "Yaw Damper Development." The magazine says the airplane industry is ready and willing to go ahead with atom-powered planes, but they're being blocked by "Federal apathy."

Marlene Dietrich gets a big write-up in the current Collier's. Some of the quotes about her from her friends—Tallulah Bankhead: "If I were sick and couldn't get Florence Nightingale, I'd get Marlene." Maurice Chevalier: "That's a woman . . . a real, ripe woman." One Hollywood friend reports Marlene has indirect lighting under her bed.

Anybody can install power brakes in his car, says an article in May Popular Science, which reports that a South Bend company now sells a complete power brake kit. Another article tells how somebody in Boone, N. C., stretched a Jeep four and a half feet, converting it into a full-size pickup. Elsewhere the magazine has an article on the new planes that take off straight up.

Ludwig Bemelmans has an article in May Town and Country about a salmon-colored French house he lived in. His drawings, as usual, are excellent. Another article describes the golf courses around Pinehurst, N. C.

Small colleges now have to fight for their lives because of the rising cost of education, according to an article by Joe Alex Morris in the May 15 SatEvePost. The article describes the founding of Financial Aid To Education, Inc., a fund-raising group which has helped a number of small schools. Also in the Post is another installment by former Veep Alben Barkley and a first-person account by John Hvasta of how he escaped from a Czechoslovakian hoosegow.

pet solos I have ever heard on record is Roy Eldridge's "Somebody Loves Me" on the Clef label. "Little Jazz," as Roy is called, is magnificent throughout and plays with great drive and spirit and melodic sense.

The tempo is just right, the beat is powerful, and obviously all the men on this one were getting their kicks, as the saying goes. Roy is backed by the fine Oscar Peterson Trio. Oscar on piano, Herb Ellis on guitar, Ray Brown on bass) plus drummer J. C. Heard, who often works with the Peterson group. If you like good horn—and I don't mean flashy horn—you will have to like this one. No bob cliches, of course. It is one of the best records of this or any other year in my book.

The other side is "Willow Weep For Me," which is good, too.



# German Wrote Our First Drill Manual

By GEORGE W. GRUPP

MAJ. Gen. Frederick Wilhelm Ludolf Gerhard Augustin Steuben, a former aide-de camp to Frederick the Great, and the fourth Inspector General of the Continental Army, upon the request of Gen. Washington and the Board of War, wrote the first drill manual of the U. S. Army.

Steuben, (Baron von Steuben), arrived at Portsmouth, N. H., on Dec. 1, 1777 with letters of introduction to Congress and to Gen. Washington from Benjamin Franklin and Silas Deane, our agents in France.

At the time of Steuben's arrival, the Continental Army was in a deplorable condition. Among other things it was suffering from lack of proper training and discipline due to political and other causes. For this reason, it may be now said that Steuben, with a background of over 20 years of military service, arrived in this country at an opportune moment.

He will never be known for the battle he won; but, he will be remembered for his ability to bring order out of a confused but patriotic body of men.

NINE DAYS AFTER his arrival at Portsmouth he wrote a letter to the Continental Congress which made a deep impression on that body of legislators. In part it read:

"The honor of serving a respectable nation, engaged in the noble enterprise of defending its rights and liberty, is the only motive that brought me to this continent. I ask neither riches or titles.

"I come here from the remotest end of Germany at my own expense, and have given up an honorable and lucrative rank. I have made no conditions with your deputies in France, nor shall I make any with you. My only ambition is to serve you as a volunteer, to deserve the confidence of your General-in-Chief, and to follow him in his operations as I have done during seven campaigns with the King of Prussia."

THIS LETTER reached Congress Jan. 12, 1778, and on Jan. 14, 1778, Congress passed a resolution which in part read: "... that Congress cheerfully accept his service as a volunteer in the Army of the States and wish him to repair to General Washington's quarters as soon as convenient."

On Feb. 5, 1778 Steuben was received by Congress at York, Pa.; and on Feb. 23, 1778 he was received by Gen. Washington at Valley Forge.

By the middle of March 1778 Steuben's uniform plan of training troops was approved. Prior to this the army consisted of detachments from 13 separate sovereignties, each of which had its own military ideas on organization and training.

FIRST, Steuben organized a model drill company of about 100 men selected by Gen. Washington. These men acted as a demonstration company for Continental Army officers.

They were taught, step by step, correct soldiering. When they made mistakes, or were slow in

learning, he would give them a tongue lashing. After he had exhausted his French and German profanity, he would then order his aide and interpreter to cuss out the men in English.

But in spite of this choleric disposition the men loved him. And Gen. Washington and other generals were amazed by his results.

WASHINGTON NEXT ordered him to write out his drill regulations. This was a cumbersome task because Steuben could not speak English. As a result, first Steuben would write a chapter in his practical and inelegant French. Col. Fluery would then turn it into literary French. Next, Capt. Pierre E. Duponceau and Capt. Benjamin Walker would translate it into English as Capt. Pierre Charles L'Enfant made the illustrations. Copies of the original English translation had to be accurately copied in long hand by young brigade inspectors, one from each of the 14 infantry brigades.

THEY FIRST made a copy for their own use and then recorded it in the Orderly Book of their respective brigades and regiments. From the regimental Orderly Book copies were made for each company; and from the company copy each officer and drill master made his own copy.

In spite of this cumbersome way of distributing the regulations, nevertheless in three days after Steuben had finished a chapter it was copied and recopied down to the last drillmaster provided they were in easy reach of the Baron.

By November 1778 the hand written drill manual was well under way and rapidly distributed piece by piece to the officers and drillmasters. And, on March 29, 1779 Congress approved and subsequently ordered published Steuben's "Regulations for the Order and Discipline of Troops of the United States."

THE TEXT of this manual is broken up into 25 short chapters and 12 appendices of special instructions. The subject matter of the manual ranges from arms and accoutrements to the treatment of the sick, from the formation of a company to the marching of an army, and from the laying out of an army camp to the inspection of the men and their arms.

It is 154 pages long and illustrated with eight plates. The first edition was published in 1779 by Meychoir Styner and Charles Cist of Philadelphia. Since it is bound in blue covers it became known as the "Blue Book" — the first drill manual of the U. S. Army.

## Frankford Fund Drive Nets Record \$40,000

PHILADELPHIA — The commanding officer of Frankford Arsenal, Col. Thomas J. Kane, reported last week that the Arsenal's 1954 United Charities Drive has been concluded with total contributions amounting to \$40,902.

Figured on a per capita basis, the contributions hit an all time high for the arsenal. Among the recipient organizations are the Salvation Army, American Cancer Society, Community Chest, Mental Health Association, American Red Cross, Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation, United Cerebral Palsy Association, Heart Association.

## Betcha You'd Never Guess!



SEE THOSE logs? See how they're "X'd" so the pretty girl can sit down? Well, all this has been dreamed up to inform us that this is Miss Logex-54, chosen for that title by men taking part in the big logistical exercise at Camp Pickett, Va. Actually, Miss Logex is Miss Jane Elder, of Crewe, Va., a Special Services section clerk at the camp.

## Parade At Camp Stewart Honors 'Sharpest' Outfit

CAMP STEWART, Ga. — The sharpest antiaircraft artillery outfit to train at Camp Stewart since its reactivation in 1950 was honored at a full-dress parade last week

along with its training commander and one of its officers, a veteran of the Korean campaign.

The 496th AAA Gun Bn. received Third Army certificates of merit for training and safety and its commander during the training. Lt. Col. John W. Thames, received a certificate of achievement from Brig. Gen. Richard W. Mayo, post commander.

### Tanker Topics

## 3d Armd. Div.'s Inspection Ends

FORT KNOX, Ky. — "Operation 100 per cent Superior" has come to a close in the 3d Armd. Div.

Final figures on the annual second Army ordnance inspection showed the Spearhead Division had earned the topmost rating across the board in the month-long check.

WITH THREE weeks to go in the six-week spring Community Chest Drive, 3d Armd. donors had given a total of \$22,332. This was \$1.55 per person, only 15 cents short of last year's final per capita average of \$1.70.

COURTESY patrols have been established within the 3d Armd. area. The program is a part of the division commander's effort to keep military courtesy at a high level.

COL. George L. Witt, CO of 3d Armd.'s Reserve Command since September 1953, left the Division recently for a new assignment as chief of the U. S. Military Advisory Group to Ethiopia.

Maj. Earl C. Shackelford has been named special services officer of the division.

### Leaves 10th Div. Staff

FORT RILEY, Kan. — Col. Joseph F. Puett, 10th Inf. Div. chief of staff since last May, left last week for a new assignment at Third Army headquarters at Fort McPherson, Ga.

## Training Ends At Pickett As Closing Nears

CAMP PICKETT, Va. — The Medical Replacement Training Center has closed shop as far as basic training is concerned. The last of the graduated trainees departed last week for new assignments.

Co. D, 5th Bn., had the honor of graduating the last cycle of trainees Camp Pickett is scheduled to be inactivated by June 30.

Since the camp was restored to active status in December 1951, more than 56,000 men have been graduated from basic training. The remainder of the personnel will be phased out by May 22 and sent to Fort Sam Houston, Tex. and other assignments.

The MRTC's at Fort Sam Houston and Fort Meade were moved here in December 1951, and operation of the center has been continuous since that time.

UNTIL OCTOBER 1953, the MRTC training program was 16 weeks in length. New soldiers received eight weeks of infantry, weapons and combat tactical instructions, which was immediately followed by an equal amount of medical training. Since then however, the MRTC has been operating, on a temporary basis, two different training plans.

One, eight weeks long called for training in basic combat skills of recruits from First and Second Army. These men were then granted two weeks' leave and only some returned to the MRTC for medical training.

These returnees were then supplemented by other soldiers from all over the nation, and then they began a standard eight weeks' course for medical troops. The second type of training will now be continued at Fort Sam Houston.

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## Army Testing New 'Fall-Down' Target

FORT BENNING, Ga.—A new type target, now being tested here, may result in a change in present methods of rifle marksmanship training.

The target, nicknamed Punchy Pete because like a groggy boxer it falls down when hit, is one of 153 which will be part of a new marksmanship proficiency range being developed at Fort Benning by psychologists in Human Research Unit No. 3. The range will be part of Research Task Trainfire, one of several projects the unit is working on under the chief of Army Field Forces.

"Realism will be the keynote of the proficiency course," said Dr. H. H. McFann, leader of the Trainfire project. "A killable target—that is, one that falls when hit—is desirable for two reasons. First, it simulates what actually happens in battle, and secondly, it gives the firer immediate knowledge of his accuracy on each shot," he said.

Most targets require some type of scorer to let the firer know when he has a hit. The new target, however, falls as the round strikes it, so that the firer knows immediately that he has scored a hit.

PUNCHY PETE was developed

here by the Human Research Unit with the help of the Infantry Center Ordnance and Signal maintenance sections and the weapons department of the Infantry School. Battery-powered and portable, it can be raised or lowered by remote control.

As soon as the proficiency range is developed, Dr. McFann said, various methods of marksmanship training will be evaluated by comparing the performance of different groups.

In order to obtain information about the kinds of targets encountered in battle, the Trainfire staff has analyzed the records of thousands of combat incidents and has interviewed many combat veterans at Benning.

## Course Record Broken Twice In Single Day

FORT HOOD, Tex.—Sgt. Antonio Ponce Jr. and SFC Thomas E. Edwards broke the 1st Armd. Div.'s all-time record with high scores made on the Combat Intelligence and Reporting Course run by the Division's G-2.

Sgt. Edwards completed the course with 988 points out of a possible 1000, setting a new division record, only to be topped later in the day by Sgt. Ponce, who totaled 989 points.

The men, both Korean veterans, are members of C Co. of the 702d Armd. Inf. Bn. The entire company ran through the course and established a new division record with an average score of 851.

The course, in existence since January, 1953, is four miles long and consists of 10 testing stations. An individual's combat intelligence is determined by presenting various combat situations to the soldier and learning what he would do in each situation.

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## Benning Noncom Council Formed

FORT BENNING, Ga.—The 130 enlisted men of the Infantry School's tactical department have organized a 13-man NCO Council to make recommendations to the department director, Col. Joseph W. Stilwell.

Reported to be the first such council in the Infantry School, it

was organized at the suggestion of Col. Stilwell.

M/Sgt. Theodore J. Podolsky, senior NCO in the department and chief clerk of the associate arms group, has been elected council president.

The new organization has a three-fold purpose. It gives the director an opportunity to orient members on department activities, provides a direct method of presenting recommendations and enhances the position of the enlisted men, according to Col. Stilwell.

The council usually meets the first week in the month which gives department officials the remainder of the month to take action on the recommendations made.

When suggestions are not adopted by the department, a letter is written to the council, outlining the reasons why.



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Following are some of the ROTC men expected to graduate this year, most of them in May or June. Those graduating at other times are listed under appropriate dates. Subsequent lists covering other schools will appear as they are received.

### DAVIDSON COLLEGE

Davidson, N. C.

Bremer, John H.	Sutton, Robert E.
Brown, Cecil E.	Wilson, J. K. Jr.
Coe, Millard H.	Williams, Timothy A.
Courts, Andrew J.	York, Cyrus M.
Craig, Ben T.	Alexander, Wm. P.
Craig, James M.	Sparks, Homer G.
Gildwell, Wm. C.	Baker, Clarence K.
Grooms, Haven A.	Denney, Brown W.
Graham, William N.	Hull, Charles C.
Gray, Johnny L.	Lamon, Henry V. Jr.
Hasty, Charles R.	Southwell, Robert O.
Hensley, Jesse M.	Dowdy, W. E. Jr.
Higgins, Henry M.	Mitchell, Robert K.
Johnson, Norman M.	Cannon, James W.
Kiser, John L.	Johnson, Charles H.
Massage, Boyd B.	Kelth, Caesar M.
McAllister, Wm. P.	Ligon, T. J. Jr.
McCall, George D.	Rivers, George L.
Morris, Wm. L. III	De Vane, LeRoy M.
Wick, Hagen D.	Goode, Seaden Jr.
Nelson, William L.	Pickney, Paul J.
Reese, William N.	Sells, Samuel R.
Reid, Don D.	Phifer, Homer C.
Smith, John C.	

### MIDDLE TENNESSEE

STATE COLLEGE

Murfreesboro, Tenn.

Adams, Ernest S. Jr.	Pidecock, G. E. Jr.
Cross, Ray E.	Porterfield, Wm. A.
Dowd, Robert F.	Stephens, Larry K.
Ford, William R.	Taylor, Wyatt N.
Giles, Frank McC.	Thwait, Dan A.
Hawthorn, R. B.	VonDohlen, R. B.
Macon, David R.	Wallace, Ken E.
O'Brien, Thomas L.	Whitaker, Luther T.
Patton, Thomas W.	Whitaker, Joseph W.

### STETSON UNIVERSITY

DeLand, Fla.

Berry, Stephen C.	Lasater, Richard W.
Blair, Dean G.	Lauer, John E.
Clary, Bruce E.	McIntosh, Kenneth W.
Coward, Wm. F.	Murphy, James T.
Daub, Alfred V. Jr.	Palmer, Allen E. Jr.
Deben, Roger W.	Rickerson, C. E.
Gold, Thomas N.	Samaras, A. C.
Holley, Cecil W. Jr.	Smith, John R.
Jochum, George F.	Turner, Charles W.
Johnson, Donald L.	Wing, Stafford L.

### SOUTH DAKOTA

STATE COLLEGE

State College Station, S. D.

Abein, Alvin T.	Martin, Eugene T.
Anderson, Arlin W.	Mason, James M.
Anderson, Stanton M.	McDonald, Francis W.
Atwood, Lynn E.	Mills, Donald E.
Berg, Donald G.	Miller, Thomas E.
Bieber, Duane D.	Mizer, Walter G.
Blomke, Richard E.	Moravec, Julie D.
Blumer, Burdette V.	Moravsky, Paul E.
Boyer, Delane F.	Ohlsen, Kermit H.
Burney, Charles E.	Olsen, William L.
Chambers, John A.	Oseborne, Allan R.
Chapman, Richard L.	Ottensmeyer, E. C.
Cofas, Bruce O.	Oyler, Turner L.
Day, Marvin L.	Page, James H.
Dearborn, Delwyn D.	Pedersen, James O.
Dolan, Roland D.	Petersen, Charles L.
Ekke, Robert W.	Pfeiffer, Allen A.
Ekdorn, Donald L.	Piskule, Donald F.
Eisner, Kenneth J.	Popowski, John S.
Englund, Loren H.	Riley, James A.
Erickson, Marvin J.	Robeson, Evert E.
Evans, Alan R.	Schmidt, James R.
Frederickson, D. C.	Silvernale, Douglas J.
Gaffney, Edward A.	Stutler, Floyd V.
Hahn, Jerry D.	Snyder, Donald G.
Hall, William R.	Staudenmiller, E. C.
Hartman, Wm. F.	Sween, Robert D.
Hoffbeck, Loren J.	Tholl, John G.
Holliday, Robert L.	Thompson, Carveth S.
Ingersoll, Donald C.	Thompson, Doyle D.
Johnston, Laurence	Tupper, Donald T.
Kidman, Bruce H.	Tyler, Clyde H.
Kjellsen, D. L.	Von Fischer, F. W.
Krens, Marilyn A.	Wicks, Gail A.
Kurtz, Harold J.	Widias, Murray D.
Labere, Lyle E.	Williams, Marjorie D.
Landes, Robert E.	Williams, Robert L.
Ludtka, John E.	Ziegler, Gerald D.
Mackintosh, Donald F.	Zimmerman, Fred R.

### UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

College of Medicine

Omaha, Neb.

Brewer, Allen E.	Lukens, Isalah E.
Dahlheim, Harold D.	Luna, Thomas
Delaplane, Robert W.	LaPorte, Donald J.
Deubler, Keith F.	Newkirk, George L.
Dinsmore, James W.	Newkirk, George L.
Hasegawa, Carl M.	Shopp, Bryce G.
Johnson, Guy O. Jr.	Smith, Kaye
Kantor, Edward A.	Stendager, Edward D.
Karrer, Max C.	Welsh, Jack D.

### GANNON COLLEGE

Erie, Pa.

Becker, Donald C.	Pivetta, Angelo A. Jr.
Beveridge, James E.	Salvia, Joseph A. Jr.
Billey, Royal C.	Stanovich, Frank
Burkholder, R. C.	Walczak, Norbert J.
Carlotti, Gino J.	Zaworski, Richard A.
Foshay, Charles A.	
Hernandez, Edw. J.	
Lechtner, Leonard	
Malloy, Thomas E.	
Nagorski, Walter A.	
Niland, James J. Jr.	

### RICE INSTITUTE

Houston, Tex.

Frazier, Bill E.	Meltzer, Paul Jr.
Harrison, Wm. E. Jr.	Rawlins, Hubert L.
Johnson, Carl H. Jr.	Sledge, Bobby L.
Jordan, Conway F. Jr.	Stred, Richard D.
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	Dowling, Robert M.
	Kraus, Paul B.
	Loignon, Robert E.
	Reuscher, Wm. E.
	Ward, Robert R.

### HENDERSON STATE

Arkadelphia, Ark.

Anderson, Gary D.	LaLumandier, J. D.
Atchley, Jimmie O.	Linton, William E.
Bolsen, John W.	West, Charles A.
Bryant, Robert L.	Mix, Lynn H.
Counts, Louie F.	Pedron, Thomas A.
Daniels, M. D.	Pikes, James A.
Evans, Bobby G.	Possum, Haskin M.
Glasamer, Gene	Rousseau, J. L. Jr.
Graves, James R.	Rowell, Joseph E.
Hagard, John L.	Stagers, Jimmy R. Jr.
Hamilton, J. W. Jr.	Taylor, Jimmy C.
Hess, George W. Jr.	Taylor, Royce H.
Huddleston, R. W.	Walker, Thomas M.
Rudison, Lawrence H.	Wells, Ben. C. Jr.
Trotter, Joe F.	Williams, Gerald M.

### NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY

Boston, Mass.

Carve, Frederick J.	Byers, John W.
Darwin, Paul F.	Pease, James R.
Marricetta, H. E.	



# New Shutter Hits Market Hard

By ALLYN BAUM

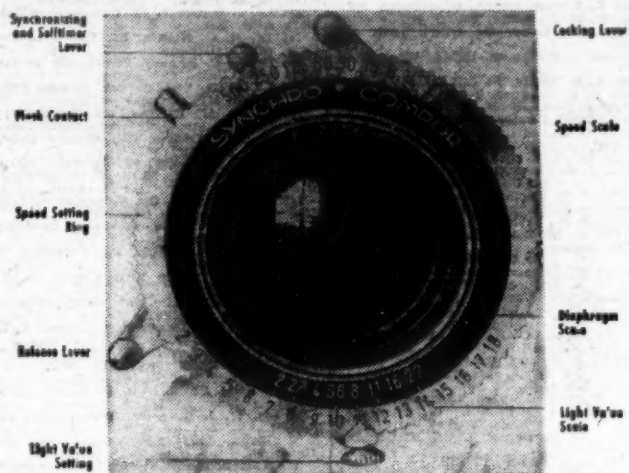
ONE of the major items of camera news which came out of the recent Cologne Photokina (photography show) was the unveiling of a new shutter which will appear on Kodak, Agfa, Voiglander, Zeiss and Roliflex cameras in future.

Actually, this shutter is not new—its principles have been known for years—but this is the first time it has been produced and fitted to cameras for general sale. Friedrich Deckel Co. of Munich, the supplier of shutters to the five camera manufacturers mentioned,

you will either have to buy a new the Deckel light value system.

Under the new Deckel system, light meters are not only prescribed but they are needed if the new shutter is to operate effectively.

This means that all existing



put the shutter into production. It is called the Synchron-Compur.

THE SYNCHRO - COMPUR, with light value scale, is semi-automatic in that only the shutter speed need be set. The shutter opening is then automatically determined.

This takes practically all the guesswork out of exposing film. However, it must be used in conjunction with a light meter, and

light meters must be altered and all new ones redesigned so that light readings can be taken in terms of a series of numbers running from 2 through 18. These light meter built to work with the Synchron-Compur or convert your old one with the addition of a new scale. Old meters have neither the new shutter's speed markings nor numbers are the equivalent of light values, 2 being the dimmest light reading and 18 the brightest.

FUTURE light meters will have to give readings in these numbers, 2 to 18, rather than in the old-fashioned terms, admittedly inconvenient.

Here is the way the Deckel shutter works:

On the outer rim of the Synchron-Compur the light values 2 to 18 have been engraved.

After taking a light reading, the light value number is then set by means of a lever onto the shutter.

By setting this lever, the shutter speed setting mechanism is automatically coupled to the lens aperture settings.

## Bermuda Fine Off-Season

THIS is the time of the year at southern resorts known as the off-season, when it is both economical and enjoyable to travel south where the winter tourists have thinned, and the prices have dropped.

Offering all the attractions other resorts list—swimming, golfing, sun-bathing, excellent climate, games and good food—Bermuda this summer has planned a sports calendar well studied with attractions.

There will be a fishing tournament from April through October, golf tournaments and horse racing in May, a water carnival and yacht racing at Hamilton in June, island-wide cricket and the annual Bermuda international tennis week in October.

Indications are that last year's all-time high 103,501 visitors may be exceeded this year. Consideration is now being given to de-emphasizing the peak periods and concentrating on the off-season to narrow the gap between lush and lean periods.

APPROXIMATELY 150 small islands comprise Bermuda. The seven largest are connected by bridges and causeways and make up what is known as the mainland. They were discovered in 1515 by a Spanish navigator named Juan de Bermudez, but Spain laid no claim to them.

Many fascinating and charming sights are constantly rediscovered by visitors leaving the beaten path. One such spot is Wreck Hill at the western end of the Islands, near Somerset, with a wonderful view of Ely's Harbour on one side and the Atlantic on the other.

Across from Somerset, over Great Sound, is Spanish Point, where stands the imposing figure of King Neptune, trident in hand, on the grounds of Admiralty House, headquarters of Britain's America and West Indies Squadron.

A road leads from Admiralty House toward Hamilton, Bermuda's capital city.

MODERN attractions for the tourists, in the form of comfortable accommodations and planned activities such as parties, tours, beach picnics and moonlight sails, offer a complete vacation throughout the summer.

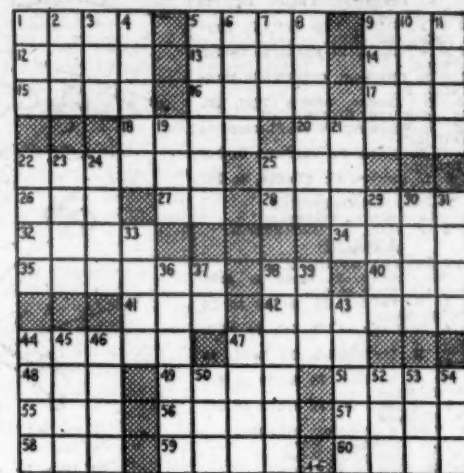
Prices for a double room with bath range from \$11 to \$20 a day at the six largest hotels. Each one has a capacity of 200 or more guests, and has its own tennis courts and golf courses, along with planned entertainment.

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  - Within (comb. form)
  - Copper coin
  - Staff
  - Holly
  - Sharp
  - Calms
  - Luxon native
  - Tennis stroke
  - Down (prefix)
  - Household
  - Elliptical
  - Small
  - Want
  - Elevated railway
  - Feminine name
  - Dutch wine measure
  - Banquets
  - Make butter
  - Distant
  - The linden
  - Perry - - -
  - Game fish
  - Last month (ab.)
  - Scent
  - Iridescent gem
  - Exclamation
  - Repose
  - Depend

- DOWN
- Peer Gyn character
  - Operate
  - Spread
  - A severe ascetic
  - Withdraw
  - Top
  - Large weight
  - Landed property

- Pale brown
- Pillage
- Deposit of metal
- Cover
- Tip to one side
- Walk wearily
- Deep affection
- Arabian sleeveless garments
- Exist
- Manners
- Insect
- Watches closely
- Pravaraator
- Ill feeling
- Type square
- Trial
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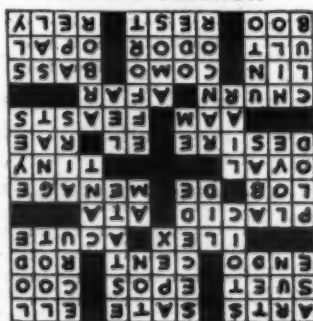
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## Medical, Hospital Care Sought For 'Title III' Retired Group

By STEVE TILMAN

WASHINGTON.—Sparkplugged by the Retired Officers Association, an effort will be made to have medical and hospital care extended to Reserve personnel retired under Title III of PL 810, commonly termed "Reserve Retirement."

At this time the Navy extends this privilege to its Reservists and those of the Marine Corps and Coast Guard. Air Force and Army Reservists are denied this benefit.

Only recently the Army restudied the policy on medical and hospital care for Reservists retired under Title II, PL 810 (20 years of active duty), and made an administrative decision that such personnel and their dependents would now be given this entitlement.

Reserve leaders express the opinion that medical and hospital care for Reservists retiring at age 60 is one of the more important items expected to be considered at the 1954 convention of the Reserve Officers Association.

Advance information is that Congress will doubtless be asked to include medical and hospital care for retired Reservists and National Guardsmen—regardless of what retirement law is pertinent—in the pending Equalization of Benefits bill.

OFFICERS of the Regular services who retire under any law, and Reserve and National Guard officers who retire for disability or after 20 years of active duty, under Title II, PL 810, may protect their eligibility for out-patient care and prosthetic service, as veterans, by making application for disability compensation to the Veterans Administration.

Under provisions of PL 314, 78th Congress, personnel indicated in the preceding paragraph, if found to have a service-connected disability, will become eligible for medical and hospital care from the Veterans Administration, as well as service hospitals.

They establish this entitlement by waiving a portion of their

Service retired pay, and accept an equal amount of disability compensation under VA laws. This would also put the retired personnel in line for training and other benefits as a disabled veteran.

At the same time, all rights and benefits as retired service personnel are retained.

This special method of establishing dual medical and hospital care is not available to Reservists and National Guardsmen retired under Title III of PL 810.

The proposal advanced by the Retired Officers Association would, if accepted, give them service medical and hospital care, but would not bring them within the provision of PL 314 without Congressional action.

Since all disability compensation received from the Veterans Administration is tax free, this method of splitting payment would decrease the amount of taxable income.

THE SIX MONTH'S gratuity is payable in cases of death incurred in active service, but in the case of members of the Reserve, and National Guard the active duty orders must stipulate that the individual was ordered to duty for a period in excess of 30 days.

If on active duty for less than 30 days, such as training duty or inactive duty training under proper order, then death must have resulted from injury. Death caused by disease will not establish entitlement.

The amount payable is a sum equal to six months' pay, including every kind or character with the exception of allowances, that would be due the deceased if he or she had been on active duty.

The money is paid to the widow or widower, or if there is none, to child or children, or if there are none, to other dependent relative previously designated.

In the event of death of any beneficiary before payment to and collection by such beneficiary of the amount authorized, payment will be made to the next living beneficiary in the order of succession, other than as stated, such as grandchild, parent, brother or sister, or grandparent, shown to have been dependent upon the deceased prior to death.

ALTHOUGH Reserve leaders were successful in having the House stipulate a method of establishing date of rank for inactive duty Reserve officers when called to active duty, the Department of Defense is still opposed to the idea.

It is expected that stiff opposition will be offered to the amendment when the Senate Armed Services committee resumes hearings on ROPA (HR-6573, Reserve Officer Personnel Act).

Under the House amendment, Reserve officers entitled to a successive Reserve year—having earned 50 points—would be given a full year of credit toward their date of rank when ordered to active duty.

Army Reserve officers have been advocating this ever since the establishment of the Officers Reserve Corps shortly after War I. It is the first time they have ever come near success, and so they will not be willing to drop the proposal without a fight.

ACCORDING to the Army, if a Reservist, officer or enlisted man,

fails to earn a satisfactory year (50 points) it is necessary for the individual to accumulate another full year of satisfactory service in order to make 20 years of creditable Reserve inactive service for retirement. Whatever points were earned in that noncreditable year, however, will be credited.



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## Not A Drop Spilled In Air Drop



**PARACHUTES** are hooked up to drums of gasoline dropped to waiting 4th Inf. Regt. trucks during Exercise Wet Bear last week in Alaska. Adjusting the static lines are M/Sgt. Ralph D. Link, who jumped with the gasoline, Capt. Joseph Hilbert and PFC Arthur Cornell. Not a drop of the 3500 gallons of gas was spilled during the aerial supply maneuver.

## 3500 Gallons Of Gas Dropped In Maneuver

By CPL. LEO PESCH

**FORT RICHARDSON, Alaska.**—Troops of the 4th Regimental Combat Team on maneuvers east of Fairbanks last week got some welcome support from Fort Richardson, when a team of aerial supply specialists dropped 3500 gallons of gasoline to the waiting trucks of the Fourth.

The drop was supervised by Capt. Joseph Hilbert, assistant

supply officer at Fort Richardson. Jumping with the air-drop was M/Sgt. Ralph D. Link, of the Alaska General Depot, who, with the help of a group of volunteers from the Depot Quartermaster Co., had packed the parachutes, prepared the load, and loaded the airplane. The drop was made from a C-124 Globemaster of the 5039th Air Transport Squadron at Elmendorf.

**THE GASOLINE**, weighing nearly 30,000 pounds, was dropped in two loads, the first at eight in the morning and the second at four in that afternoon. Each drop consisted of eight "bundles," or separate units, each with four drums of gasoline. Each bundle was supported by a 64-foot parachute, capable of holding 2200 pounds.

Sgt. Link jumped with the first load, to coordinate with the ground personnel and to recover the parachutes and packing equipment. He reported that "not a single drop of gasoline was spilled" in the operation. Precision dropping resulted in putting all 16 loads within a 500- by 200-yard area on the ground in reach of the waiting trucks.

## Knox Chaplain Receives Award

**FORT KNOX, Ky.**—Presentation of The George Washington Honor Medal to 1st Lt. Darrell C. Richardson, chaplain of the 3d Armd. Div.'s Hilltop Chapel, was made April 21, over radio station WHAS in Louisville.

Chaplain Richardson, nationally known for his campaign against gambling and juvenile delinquency in northern Kentucky, received the award from the Freedom Foundation for a sermon he gave at the Fort Mitchell Baptist Church in Covington, Ky., where he served as pastor from 1947 until he entered the service last January.

Others who have received the award in the past are James A. Farley, Herbert Hoover, Norman Vincent Peale and Fulton J. Sheen.

The chaplain is the author of numerous books, stories and articles and was recently selected for inclusion in the latest edition of Who's Who In America.

## Spring Comes To Alaska; Troops Switch To Brown

**FORT RICHARDSON, Alaska.**—Spring and summer with the 196th Regimental Combat Team at Richardson will see emphasis on range firing, tactics, and training in summer camouflage, as well as many other aspects of infantry, artillery, and tank training.

Tactics take on a different color in Alaska as the olive drab uniform replaces winter overwhites. Troops, ski-joring two months ago, have returned their skis to supply rooms and laundered overwhites for the last time this season. Where skis and others provided transportation over snow, tanks and trucks now do the job.

The 147th AFA Bn. unrolled green and brown nets to camouflage artillery pieces for the first time recently. The battalion fired service tests recently. Training in summer camouflage procedures is made necessary by the coming of spring and summer when the only snow seen by troops is on mountain peaks several thousand feet high.

**RANGE FIRING** will occupy much of the infantry and artillery soldier's time this summer. Mountain training, not possible in winter, will also receive particular stress. Troops at Richardson will climb in the Chugach range.

As part of its training, the 2d Bn., 196th Infantry Regiment, spent two weeks bivouacking near the post. Maneuvers saw infantrymen practicing defensive tactics in conjunction with 12th Tank Co., also at Richardson.

## Hospital At Benning Getting 21 TV Sets

**FORT BENNING, Ga.**—Fort Benning's hospital will get 21 TV sets for use of patients, CWO Robert W. McKeith, assistant post signal officer, has announced.

Approximately \$6000 has been appropriated for the sets by Third Army, and the purchase will probably be made locally within the next two months, Mr. McKeith said. It is expected that the TV sets will be operating in hospital wards by June 30.

## Puts Hobby To Work



**USING HIS FREE** weekends, Pvt. Richard Kadyk has turned his hobby of music into a good turn for the Plymouth Congregational Church in Tacoma, Wash. The 44th Div. GI has just about completed the job of repairing the church's 72-year-old unused pump organ and converting it into an electrically-operated modern instrument. Here, he shows a repaired reed box to two members of the congregation, Mrs. Coy Brown, left, and Mrs. George W. Smart.



**JUMPING FROM 'DIRTY DOZEN'** are these members of G Co., 196th Inf. Regt., now undergoing spring training in Alaska. Dirty Dozen is a tank in 12th Tank Co. Leaping off the armored vehicle to provide protection against "enemy" infantrymen are, left to right, Cpl. Duane L. Oliphant, M/Sgt. Joseph A. Graham, Cpl. William E. Merritt, Cpl. Acie Ruddell and SFC Robert L. Strine.

## Cave Serves As Economical Ordnance Item Storehouse

**WASHINGTON.**—With the cessation of hostilities in Korea and the deactivation of many armament-producing plants throughout the country, Army Ordnance is using a huge man-made limestone cave at Atchison, Kan., to store and maintain many of the complicated and costly machine tools used in the production of weapons so that they will be ready for instant use in event of another national emergency.

The details of this program are outlined in an article, "Machine Tools in Reserve," in the May issue of "Ordnance," the magazine of the American Ordnance Association, a nationwide society of 35,000 American citizens devoted to industrial preparedness for national defense. The article is written by Kenneth E. Joy, an engineer in the Industrial Division of the office of the Chief of Army Ordnance.

**THE CAVE** is an abandoned limestone mine 16 acres in area

which provides 600,000 square feet of floor storage space. Floors are poured with four inches of concrete, standard warehouse lighting is installed, and little else is done to the interior area other than to provide dehumidification and ventilation.

"The yearly operating cost will be approximately 17 cents per square foot of floor space," the Ordnance article states. "This cost includes all utilities, dehumidification, heat for the administrative area, maintenance, etc. Outstanding values of man-made limestone mines, or 'caves' as they are commonly called, are 'straight-in' entrances (no shafts) and uniform layout which are products of the mining methods used. These assets are coupled with natural and constant year-in and year-out temperatures approximately 60 degrees Fahrenheit without the aid of any introduced heat.

"This greatly reduces the cost of operating the dehumidifying machines to maintain the desired relative humidity of 40 percent. The natural constant temperatures, solid limestone strata, and negligible maintenance are, of course, outstanding advantages. Security of our great investment is a big factor when we think of bombproofness, seclusion and difficulty of a sabotage attempt at an underground storage facility of this type. Fortunately, these are naturally existing attributes."

## Airborne Instructor Scores 500 In PTT

**FORT BENNING, Ga.**—Proving the value of good physical condition, Sgt. Thomas G. Ziemer, who teaches the four basic jump techniques, last week scored a maximum 500 points on the Army physical training test.

Ziemer not only made the maximum number of points on each exercise, but exceeded the number of repetitions required for each. In the situp exercise which has a two-minute time limit, Ziemer performed the maximum 79 and still had 20 seconds to spare. On the 300-yard run exercise, he finished in 42 seconds.

Ziemer, who entered the Army Sept. 11, 1952, was assigned to the Infantry School Airborne Department March 23, 1953.

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## Big Forces Day Open House Set

**FORT JACKSON, S. C.**—An open house with an appeal to every age group is planned here to climax the Armed Forces Week observance.

The two-day celebration at Jackson will begin with a division review Saturday, May 15.

Units from the Air Force and Navy ROTC of the University of South Carolina will take part in the review. There will be a fly-over of planes from nearby Shaw Air Force Base.

**JACKSON** safety officials are hoping a safety letter on a traffic accident that cost four lives—one of them a Jackson soldier—will help start the installation on another safety record. The fatal accident broke a two-month record of no traffic fatalities among Fort personnel.

**SIX** awards given at recent reviews included presentation of a Bronze Star to Lt. Col. Floyd E. Monroe, post veterinarian; Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star to 1st Lt. Charles F. Summers, 41st Tank Bn.; Oak Leaf Cluster to the Commendation Ribbon to WOJG Joseph I. Nadiou, rations breakdown officer; Commendation Ribbons to Sgt. John R. Martin, Hq. Co., 61st Inf. Regt.; Capt. James U. Young and Sgt. William C. Hughes.

**JACKSON'S** "Soldier of the Month," Sgt. Charles E. Jolly was presented a fitted luggage piece at a "Military Night" event at the Columbia, S. C., store of Sears, Roebuck & Co. Presentation was made by Columbia Chamber of Commerce president Joseph C. Good.



## 40th Div. Due At Stoneman In Early June

CAMP STONEMAN, Calif.—The 40th In. Div., returning from Korea, will arrive at Stoneman shortly after the first of June. It was announced this week. Soon after its arrival, the division will be released from active duty and returned to the California National Guard.

The division is expected to be at Stoneman from 10 days to three weeks, while its members process for transfer or reassignment and prepare for a gigantic parade, which is tentatively scheduled for June 21 in San Francisco. Following the parade, the division colors will be turned over to State officials, and the division will be formally returned to State control.

Members of the division, some 1100 officers and men, are not necessarily originally members of the California National Guard outfit, which was ordered to active duty shortly after the outbreak of hostilities in Korea. Most of the original members of the division have long since returned from Korean service to civilian life. Those troops returning home with the division are personnel from the Far East who were scheduled for return to this country.

A round of activities, including a reception at Stoneman, is planned prior to the parade.

### Bragg Bric-A-Brac Forces Day Work Begins

FORT BRAGG, N. C.—Armed Forces Day preparations have begun here.

Rides for the children on huge Engineer construction equipment, demonstrations with the 280-mm gun and static displays of every type will highlight the Bragg celebration.

MAJ. GEN. Joseph P. Cleland, commanding general of Bragg and the XVIII Abn. Corps, and Lt. Gen. A. M. Bolling, Third Army commander and Flash Burn maneuver director, had the opportunity to chat with the young lassies of the Gaelic College of Nova Scotia. The girls stopped here to perform with their bagpipes.

MRS. Dorothy O'Connell, wife of PFC Wilson O'Connell of the PsyWar Center, was an important part of the Flash Burn maneuver. The troops in the field knew her as Aggressor Annie. It was her voice that wafted across the U. S. Force lines trying to coax the troops into surrendering to the Aggressor side.

### Benning FA Unit Oldest In Area

FORT BENNING, Ga. — The 198th FA Bn., oldest artillery unit in the Third Army, celebrated the third anniversary of its sixth reactivation May 1.

With its 155-mm howitzers, largest of the big guns at Benning, the battalion has as its primary mission support of the Infantry School. Troops take part in demonstrations and provide tactical fire support during school problems.

The 198th, now a part of Combat Training Command, won battle streamers at the Battle of Monterey in the Mexican War, at Shiloh, Murfreesboro, Chickamauga, Chattanooga, and Atlanta during the Civil War, and at the Battle of Puerto Rico in the Spanish-American War.

During War II the battalion was one of the assault units in the Leyte invasion. Maj. Walter C. Pittman is commander.

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## PsyWar Orientation Team Ends Tour Of Third Army

FORT BRAGG, N. C.—The Psychological Warfare Orientation Team, recently returned from Florida, has unpacked its equipment and displays to end a lecture tour which explained and publicized psychological warfare throughout the Third Army area.

As a result of the orientation tour made by the four-man team under the sponsorship of Third Army, the Southeast has probably become one of the best informed sections of the country on the use of propaganda to influence morale and behavior of an enemy.

Florida was the seventh state to be covered since the inauguration of the lecture series last October.

The team, headed by Lt. Richard Flynn and including SFC Earl Brannon, Sgt. Bob Reardon and PFC George Pettett, began in Mississippi last fall, then swung through Alabama and Tennessee. North and South Carolina, Georgia and Florida followed this spring.

About 46 scheduled lectures were presented in major cities to a total audience of 7000 Reservists, National Guardsmen and ROTC students.

IN ADDITION to the lectures—scheduled by Third Army as part of an annual Reserve orientation program—the team conducted an extensive publicity campaign. As a result, theories and techniques of military psychological warfare became known to a civilian audience estimated at 1-million.

The team reached mass audiences by making television appearances on nine metropolitan TV stations. In addition, more than a score of radio stations scattered through the seven states ran a tape-recorded "Introduction to psychological warfare."

Stories announcing the Reserve lectures, pictures of the team and

their displays, reviews and feature articles on the PsyWar Center were printed in newspapers whose circulation blanket the Southeastern states.

In both lectures and public appearances, the emphasis of the orientation programs was placed on how psychological warfare fits into the overall military picture as a support weapon, and on the equipment and techniques it uses in performing its mission.

The tour marked the first time Third Army had selected psychological warfare as one of the specialized functions Army Reservists need to know about.

## Learning Space Man Lingo Is Part Of Nike Training

WASHINGTON.—An eavesdropper on the conversation of some of the Army's soldier-technicians might think he was tuned in to Buck Rogers, judging by the tongue-twisting lingo.

Accelerometers, multivibrators and oscilloscopes are commonplace tools of the trade, for example, to men in the Ordnance guided-missile or integrated fire-control electronics repair courses.

Highly skilled technicians are produced by practical training and study programs conducted on electronically controlled antiaircraft weapons, radar and computing units, or guided missiles.

Men with an eye to a future in these specialized fields get training at the Signal School, Fort Monmouth, N. J. Advanced study is either at the Ordnance School, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., or the Guided Missile School, Redstone Arsenal, Huntsville, Ala.

GRADUATES OF these courses

### Verstehen Sie 'Just A Trim?'

WITH 7TH INF. DIV., Korea.—One member of K Co., 17th Inf., found to his sorrow that the barber chair is no place to be practicing foreign languages.

M/Sgt. Charles H. Fullen, company unit administrator, has been confusing his friends lately by injecting German words and phrases into his conversation in preparation for his next tour of duty in Germany.

When Fullen tried his German out on the company barber, however, the man mis-translated it, and gave the sergeant an extra-special short crew cut.

## Chaffee Opens Traffic School As Safety Move

CAMP CHAFFEE, Ark.—Steps are being taken here to curb traffic violations and accidents through the establishment of a traffic safety school, wider enforcement and uniform penalties.

The school educates the driver to his faults and how to overcome them. Attendance is required for soldiers and civilians guilty of traffic violations and for drivers of Army vehicles involved in accidents.

Civilian violators who fail to attend may lose the privilege of driving on post.

Courses are held during off-duty hours on the first and third Saturdays of each month.

The regiment or battalion having the highest percentage of traffic violators in each class names a captain or above as instructor.

A uniform set of penalties for offenses will be used by commanding officers. However, a soldier will not be punished unless he is found to be negligent.

## Benning Briefs New ROK Class Begins Course

FORT BENNING, Ga. — The sixth Republic of Korea class to train at the Infantry Center has begun with the arrival of 154 ROK army officers.

The officers, enrolled in the associate company course, will be given 20 weeks' instruction.

OUTDOOR swimming has begun here with the opening of Russ and Young's Pools, the officers' mess pools and the Sand Hill pool.

THE FIVE-MAN staff which will supervise training of more than 1500 Infantry ROTC cadets June 19-July 30 will be headed by Col. Richard J. Werner, professor of military science and tactics at Clemson, S. C., College, who will be deputy camp commander.

Other members will be Lt. Col. William P. Malone, executive officer; Capt. Jefferson D. McCollum, S-1; Maj. Leonard D. Barber, S-3, and Capt. Harry B. Ball, S-4.

SOME 37 students received diplomas recently at graduation exercises of the Infantry Center's Supply School. The class was the third group of supply personnel to complete the 30-hour course.

### Wins Talent Contest

FORT SHERIDAN, Ill. — Cpl. Bernard Horwitz, 25, comedian from Camp Carson, Colo., won the Fifth Army talent championship here last week. He competed against eight acts, all champions of major Army installation in the Middle West, for the right to represent Fifth Army in the All-Army contest to be held in New York City this month.

### Old Sport Model Is Out



AFTER MAY 20, the old flop-top fatigue cap will be a thing of the past for trainees at Fort Jackson, S. C., as it has been for some time elsewhere. Wearing the new blocked type that becomes compulsory then, Cpl. Johnny Greganti, right, gets the once-over from Cpl. Billy Kelton, hiding under an old model.



## Medicare: Too Late For 1954?

**Campbell Gives \$20,841**  
**PORT CAMPBELL, Ky.**—The office of the Port Campbell treasurer has announced that of \$20,841.13 is the total amount registered in the 1954 Red Cross drive here.

## Officer Promotions

sions of the bill to include the Coast Guard and to present a consensus of the military opinion on the subject.)

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Col P. L. Walker, Carlisle Bns, Pa. to  
8751st AAU, DC.  
Col C. T. Schmidt, OSD 8475th AAU, DC,  
to 6th Army, San Francisco.  
Lt Col M. S. Perrine Jr, Ft Devens to Hq,  
ASA, 8650th AAU, DC.  
Lt Col A. L. Branson, Cpl Gordon to 31st  
Inf Div, Cpl Carson.

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Capt R. I. Kothrade, 3th Army, Chicago.  
**MEDICAL CORPS**  
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# ORDERS

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Col. G. W. Snyder, Brooke AMC, Ft. Houston.  
Col. B. L. Steger, Armed Forces Inst. of Pathology, DC.  
Col. J. H. Taber, AFF Bd nr 2, Ft. Knox.  
Col. B. C. Teller, Walter Reed AMC, DC.  
Lt. Col. C. E. Johnson, Cp Polk to Madison AM, Ft. Lewis.  
Lt. Col. R. F. Bell, Ft. Leavenworth to 3440th ASU, Ft. Benning.  
Lt. Col. M. M. Ruckelshaus, Cp Rucker to USA Hosp, Ft. Bragg.  
Lt. Col. R. B. Cameron, Walter Reed AMC, DC to Brooke AMC, Ft. Houston.  
Lt. Col. A. L. Hendon, Letterman AH, Calif. to Walter Reed AMC, DC.  
Lt. Col. J. B. Moring, Fitzsimons AH, Colo. to USA Hosp, Ft. McClellan.  
Maj. L. C. Gabrielsen, Cp Polk to USA Hosp, Ft. Knox.  
Maj. R. H. Hansen, Cp Polk to USA Hosp, Ft. Knox.  
Maj. W. E. Russell, 6909th ASU, USA Disp. Org. to USA Hosp, Cp Hanford, Wash.  
Maj. B. C. Gallup, Ft. Jay to OCAF, Ft. Monroe.  
Maj. J. J. Coffey, Walter Reed AH, DC to USA Hosp, Cp Carson.  
Maj. R. L. Condon, Letterman AH, DC to 31st Inf Div, Cp Carson.  
Maj. J. V. Conroy Jr., Ft. Jay to USA Hosp, Cp Carson.  
Maj. K. K. Hodge, Fitzsimons AH, Colo. to USA Hosp, Cp Carson.  
Maj. J. A. Moncrieff, 5th Army, Chicago to USA Hosp, Ft. Sill.  
Maj. R. J. Reynolds, Fitzsimons AH, to Brooke AMC, Ft. Houston.  
Maj. T. J. Whelan Jr., Ft. Jay to Valley Forge AH, Pa.  
From USA Hosp, Cp Polk to points indicated:  
Capt. J. L. Arrowsmith, USA Hosp, Ft. Campbell.  
Capt. M. J. Bellinger, USA Hosp, Ft. McClellan.  
Capt. J. R. Bottomy, USA Hosp, Ft. Lee.  
Capt. T. D. Davis, USA Hosp, Cp Johnston.  
Capt. D. C. Eisenstein, USA Hosp, Ft. Knox.  
Capt. W. T. Mathes, USA Hosp, Ft. Hood.  
Capt. A. E. Ogden, USA Hosp, Ft. Hood.  
Capt. A. D. Warshaw, USA Hosp, Ft. Campbell.  
Capt. J. L. Wooten, USA Hosp, Cp Gordon.  
Capt. C. E. Teas, USA, Cp Carson.  
Capt. R. F. Thagard, USA Hosp, Cp Chaffee.  
Capt. J. H. Benge, Carlisle Bks, Pa. to USA Disp, Indianapolis, Pa.  
Capt. A. T. Petro, Murphy AH, Mass. to USA Hosp, Ft. Devens.  
Capt. R. Roter, Ft. Lawton to USA Disp, Ordinance, Oreg.  
Capt. M. M. Shapner, Cp Stoneman to USA Infmary, Ft. Harrison.  
Capt. M. C. Loy, 3340th ASU, Chamblee, Ga. to USA Hosp Ft. Campbell.  
Capt. G. A. Champlin, 5th Army, Chicago to USA Hosp, Ft. Eustis.  
Capt. H. H. Hansen, Letterman AH, Calif. to USA Hosp, Ft. Hood.  
Capt. W. E. Porter, Walter Reed AMC to Brooke AMC, Ft. Houston.  
From USA Hosp, Cp Rucker, Ala. to points indicated:  
Capt. G. N. Berry, Valley Forge AH, Pa.  
Capt. N. L. Galindo, USA Disp, Ft. Myer.  
Capt. D. H. McGee, USA Hosp, Ft. Campbell.  
1st Lt. J. W. Shaw, USA Hosp, Cp Polk to 1st Arm Div, Ft. Hood.  
1st Lt. H. T. Broadstreet, USA Hosp, Cp Gordon to 3340th ASU, Chamblee, Ga.  
1st Lt. R. B. Zapitny, USA Hosp, Cp Stoneman to USA Hosp Ft. Ord.  
From USA Hosp, Cp Rucker, Ala. to points indicated:  
1st Lt. J. H. Austin, USA Hosp, Aberdeen PG, Md.  
1st Lt. J. H. Gierke, USA Hosp, Cp Kilmer.  
1st Lt. W. A. Huttner, Fitzsimons AH, Colo.  
1st Lt. M. J. Mastrangelo, USA Disp, New Cumberland, Pa.  
Col. G. L. Orth, Cp Detrick.  
Col. F. L. Wergeland, Ft. McNair.  
Col. B. Jastrenski, Ft. Benning.  
Lt. Col. B. J. Moore, Murphy AH, Mass.  
Lt. Col. W. E. Barry, Ft. Ord.  
Lt. Col. J. R. Blair, Mass ROTC Instr Gp, Cambridge.  
Capt. W. A. Egan, Letterman AH, Calif.  
Capt. F. W. Bode Jr., Ft. Hood.  
Capt. M. D. Parrish, Walter Reed AMC, DC.  
Capt. W. S. Mizell, Fitzsimons AH, Colo.  
Capt. L. W. Bowersox, Ft. Monmouth.  
Capt. N. B. Yourish, sta Goldwater Memorial Hosp, Ft. Gil.  
Capt. A. A. Borski, Walter Reed AMC, DC.  
Capt. W. G. Phippen, Brooke AMC, Ft. Houston.  
Capt. J. J. Sludmak, USA Hosp, Ft. Meade.  
1st Lt. W. G. McGuinness, Cp Chaffee.  
1st Lt. M. M. Johnson, Ft. Meade.  
To USAFAC  
Col. R. H. Bunchaw, Carlisle Bks, Pa.  
Col. T. R. Lane, Ft. Leavenworth.  
Capt. H. R. Rosen, Letterman AH, Calif.  
Capt. G. W. Houck, Letterman AH, Calif.  
Capt. D. H. Texada, Cp Polk.  
To USAFAC  
1st Lt. J. A. Sosa, Ft. Lee.  
Capt. R. A. Chase, sta Grace-New Haven Community Hosp, Conn.  
To USAFAC  
Lt. Col. R. P. Wiperman, Ft. Lawton.  
MEDICAL SERVICE CORPS  
TRANSFERS WITHIN Z. I.  
Col. A. J. D. Guenther, Cp Pickett to NY ARS Adv Gp, NYC.  
Col. E. H. Reed, Cp Pickett to Valley Forge AH, Pa.  
Maj. W. A. King, Murphy AH, Mass. to Beaumont AH, Tex.  
Maj. F. G. Torgerson, Walter Reed AMC to sta Univ of Minn, Minneapolis.  
Capt. V. Caldwell, Brooke AMC to Aberdeen PG, Md.  
Capt. F. J. Elkowski, Ft. Hamilton to USA Hosp, Ft. Jay.  
Capt. P. E. Cevy, Cp Pickett to OTSG, DC.  
1st Lt. G. J. Briskin, sta Univ of Mich, Ann Arbor to USA Hosp, Ft. Campbell.  
1st Lt. F. P. Lawrence, Ft. Houston to USA Hosp, Ft. Ord.  
1st Lt. E. L. Phillips, Cp Pickett, to Brooke AMC, Ft. Houston.  
1st Lt. C. W. Granath, Cp Pickett to Brooke AMC, Ft. Houston.  
2d Lt. J. H. Allen Jr., Ft. Campbell to Army Awa Bch, Ft. Sill.  
From Brooke AMC, to points indicated:  
2d Lt. D. L. Dawes, USA Hosp, Ft. Belvoir.  
2d Lt. R. H. Pulk, Walter Reed AMC, DC.  
2d Lt. N. L. Case, TSU, Army Cml Ctr, Md.  
2d Lt. R. C. Darr, USA Hosp, Ft. Camp-

bell.  
2d Lt. L. Pendrey II, USA Hosp, Cp Gordon.  
2d Lt. C. P. Pile, USA Hosp, Ft. Knox.  
2d Lt. A. W. Sims, USA Hosp, Ft. Benning.  
TRANSFERS OVERSEAS  
To USAFFE  
Maj. W. L. Best, Ft. Benning.  
Maj. J. Houser, Fitzsimons AH, Colo.  
To USAFAC  
Maj. J. J. Erb Jr., St. Louis Med Dep, Mo.  
Capt. D. A. Brown, 9911th TSU, St. Louis, Mo.  
To Tehran, Iran  
Capt. H. R. Zielinski, Ft. Houston.  
MILITARY POLICE CORPS  
TRANSFERS WITHIN Z. I.  
Lt. Col. C. G. Polen, Ft. Leavenworth to ASU, Ft. Riley.  
Lt. Col. S. F. Doering, Cp Gordon to 1st Arm Div, Ft. Hood.  
Lt. Col. R. L. Staver, Ft. Leavenworth to 8601st TSU, Cp Gordon.  
Maj. I. V. A. Weiler, Cp Gordon to 373d Trans Port Comd C, Ft. Eustis.  
From Sch, Cp Gordon to points indicated:  
Maj. A. M. Bliss, 5th Army, Chicago.  
Maj. W. E. Hawkins, 6th Army, San Francisco.  
Maj. W. H. Metzner, 8800th TSU, OTSG, DC.  
Maj. F. M. Vinson Jr., 9803d TSU, NYC.  
Maj. O. E. Wedbush, ASU, Ft. Houston.  
Capt. H. R. Gerecke, Cp Gordon to 25th MPCID, Ft. Myer.  
Capt. E. O. Miller Jr., Cp Gordon to 1st Arm Div, Ft. Hood.  
1st Lt. C. V. Porcell, Cp Kilmer to 9843d TSU, Granite City, Ill.  
1st Lt. R. E. Edmunds, Cp Stoneman to 11th Ord Bn, Ft. Bliss.  
1st Lt. P. M. Timmerbers, 9201st TSU, NY to Sch, Ft. Benning.  
1st Lt. F. Cohn, Cp Gordon to 1208th ASU, Ft. Niagara.  
TRANSFERS OVERSEAS  
To USAFFE  
Col. E. N. Howell, Ft. Leavenworth.  
Lt. Col. L. H. Hilliard, Ft. Leavenworth.  
Lt. Col. G. A. MacKachern, Carlisle Bks.  
Lt. Col. W. L. Lafarge Jr., OTSG, DC.  
Maj. J. T. Merrill, Ft. Leavenworth.  
Maj. J. Hodges, Cp Gordon.  
From Cp Gordon—Maj. J. C. Shoults Jr., J. T. Stansell, W. J. Yamber.  
Capt. R. E. Dillard Jr., sta San Jose State College, Calif.  
To USAFAC  
From Cp Gordon—Maj. H. V. Dunstan, H. J. Fee, J. J. Plaggen.  
Maj. A. O. Wiklund, Ft. Leavenworth.  
Capt. D. A. Barton, sta Mich State Col, East Lansing, Mich.  
To USAFAC  
Lt. Col. F. G. Steiner, Ft. Leavenworth.  
ORDNANCE CORPS  
TRANSFERS WITHIN Z. I.  
Col. J. D. Sams, TSU, OCoF Ord, DC. to 4th Army, Ft. Houston.  
Lt. Col. A. W. Liedtke, Aberdeen PG, Md. to 931st ASU, Red River Arsenal, Tex.  
Lt. Col. P. W. Badler, Aberdeen PG, Md. to 9361st ASU, Red River Arsenal, Tex.  
Lt. Col. W. J. Durrenberger, sta Syracuse Univ, NY, to TSU, OCoF Ord, DC.  
Lt. Col. C. C. Gleason, 9397th TSU, Minneapolis Minn. to ASU, Ft. Lewis.  
Capt. W. E. Hunt, Ft. Lawton to ASU, Cp Chaffee.  
Capt. H. O. Putnam, Cp Stoneman to 1st Arm Div, Ft. Hood.  
Capt. P. L. Allen, Wis ARS Adv Gp, Milwaukee to TSU, Aberdeen PG, Md.  
Capt. A. C. Nennon, Ft. Meade to 9374th TSU, Romulus, NY.  
TRANSFERS OVERSEAS  
To USAFFE  
Col. T. T. Paul Jr., Armed Forces Staff Col, Norfolk, Va.  
Lt. Col. W. H. Martinson, Ft. Collins.  
Maj. C. L. Harrison, TSU, Boston Ord Dist, Mass.  
Capt. L. Hinenburg, TSU, Benicia Arsenal, Calif.  
1st Lt. C. E. Stadlander, Aberdeen PG, Md.  
1st Lt. J. Irvine Jr., TSU Benicia Arsenal, Calif.  
1st Lt. Ogata, Atlanta Gen Depot, Ga.  
2d Lt. N. J. Cooper, Ft. Bragg.  
2d Lt. E. A. Aarsand, Aberdeen PG, Md.  
2d Lt. F. R. Dulaney Jr., TSU, Frankford Arsenal, Pa.  
2d Lt. D. C. Schneider, Aberdeen PG, Md.  
To USAFAC  
Col. P. M. Humphries, Ft. McNair.  
Col. R. E. Peters, Carlisle Bks, Pa.  
Col. J. F. Thorlin, Ft. McNair.  
Maj. W. E. Belsky, Cleveland Ord Dist, Ohio.  
Maj. J. W. Soverns, Redstone Arsenal, Ala.  
Capt. R. W. Fleagle, OCoF Ord, DC.  
Capt. J. J. Maher, Ogden Arsenal, Utah.  
1st Lt. A. B. Brian, Watertown Arsenal, Mass.  
1st Lt. R. D. Doll, Ft. Houston.  
1st Lt. C. B. Zumbalt, Ft. Ord.  
1st Lt. M. E. King, Aberdeen PG, Md.  
From Aberdeen PG, Md.  
2d Lt. A. H. Ewart, D. E. Martz, D. B. Padgett, W. D. Peoples Jr., J. G. Rowell, C. A. Sparacino, A. C. Stallings, N. A. Trudel, L. A. Williams.  
To Tehran, Iran  
Maj. J. A. Corcoran, Frankford Arsenal, Pa.  
QUARTERMASTER CORPS  
TRANSFERS WITHIN Z. I.  
Col. C. L. Redman Jr., Carlisle Bks to OUSofA, 8802d AAU, DC.  
From Ft. Leavenworth to points indicated:  
Lt. Col. V. L. Corrado, 9126th TSU, NYC.  
Lt. Col. W. D. Gardner, 9140th TSU, Atlanta, Ga.  
Lt. Col. W. P. Scholl Jr., 9135th TSU, Ft. Lee.  
Maj. C. R. Burns, Ft. Leavenworth to OCAF, DC.  
Maj. T. House, OTSG, DC to TSU, QM RD Ctr, Natick, Mass.  
From Ft. Lee to points indicated:  
Maj. J. D. Preston, Ft. Worth QM Market Ctr, Tex.  
Maj. W. E. Sines, NY POE, NYC.  
Maj. L. G. Briney, 1st Arm Div, Ft. Hood.  
Maj. P. W. St. Clair, 1st Arm Div, Ft. Hood.  
Capt. W. L. Dougherty, OTSG, DC to TSU, QM RD Ctr, Natick, Mass.  
From Ft. Lee to 1st Arm Div, Ft. Hood:  
Capt. C. T. Adams, B. P. Jones, R. N. Olsen, W. J. Warner.  
From Ft. Lee to points indicated:  
Capt. R. F. Antisnail, NY QM Market Ctr, NYC.  
Capt. F. T. Lesnicki, NY ARS Adv Gru, NYC.  
Capt. H. F. Smith, 37th Inf Div, Cp Polk.  
1st Lt. C. W. Hulbert, Ft. Meade to AAU Sandia Base, Albuquerque, NM.  
From Ft. Lee to 1st Arm Div, Ft. Hood:  
2d Lt. B. B. Brayfield, N. L. Goodwin, G. W. Haynie, L. E. Montague Jr.  
2d Lt. L. P. Hansen, Ft. Lee to 35th QM Pack Co, Cp Carson.  
TRANSFERS OVERSEAS  
To USAFFE  
Col. J. M. McKee, Ft. Meade.  
From Ft. Leavenworth:  
Lt. Col. A. A. Aines, J. P. Alexander Jr., J. S. Griffin, J. R. Hamlin.  
From Ft. Leavenworth:

Maj. R. D. Crow, D. Herber, H. James, W. M. Casart.  
Maj. W. R. Middleton Jr., 9140th TSU, Atlanta, Ga.  
2d Lt. W. L. Biedermann, Ft. Hood.  
2d Lt. S. Crow, Cp Chaffee.  
From Ft. Lee:  
2d Lt. W. T. Berry Jr., A. L. Hillman, H. Lomas II, R. W. Townsend, A. B. Almeric, G. R. Anril, T. J. Bachelder, J. J. Bendel Jr., R. D. Blanchard, B. J. Brownback Jr., T. J. Hansen, R. W. Melberg, D. O. Pettit, A. G. Sundland, R. H. Zahm Jr., O. L. Crawford, E. E. Griffin, R. D. Thorngton, R. E. Weindling.  
To USAFAC  
Col. W. R. Tomnar, ROTC Instr. Gp, Macon, Ga.  
Maj. F. A. Wilson, Ft. Bliss.  
Maj. P. J. Kenney Jr., Ft. Totten.  
Maj. R. A. Holbrook, Ft. Benning.  
Maj. M. A. Benford, Mont. Mil. Dist, Ft. Missoula.  
Maj. J. C. Voss, Ft. Riley.  
Maj. D. R. Parsons, NY QM Mkt. Ctr., NYC.  
2d Lt. G. E. Kell, 9140th TSU, Atlanta, Ga.  
2d Lt. A. B. Lanier, Jr., 9140th TSU, Atlanta, Ga.  
To USAFAC  
2d Lt. R. Y. Fujimoto, Ft. Lee.  
Col. C. E. Capito, Ft. McNair.  
To USAFAC  
Capt. L. R. Porter, Cp Chaffee.  
SIGNAL CORPS  
TRANSFERS WITHIN Z. I.  
Lt. Col. J. R. Reed, TSU, Tobyhanna, Pa., to TSU, Ft. Monmouth.  
Maj. G. H. F. Sakley, OTIG 8591st-06 AAU, St. Louis, Mo., to OTIG 8591st-02 AAU, NYC.  
Lt. Col. J. R. Carpenter, sta. Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Mass., to OCSIGO, DC.  
Capt. J. W. Collins, R. R. Curington, J. M. DeMaras, L. D. Wamsley.  
Capt. L. J. Kunkel, TSU, DC to Sta. Chesapeake & Potomac Tp. Co., Baltimore, Md.  
Maj. M. Waller, White Sands PG, N. Mex., to Sch. Gary AFB, Tex.  
1st Lt. J. F. Paquin, Ft. Leavenworth to AAU, Sandia Base, N. Mex.  
From Ft. Monmouth to Sta. Chesapeake & Potomac Tp. Co., Baltimore, Md.:  
Capt. J. W. Collins, R. R. Curington, J. M. DeMaras, L. D. Wamsley.  
Capt. L. J. Kunkel, TSU, DC to Sta. Chesapeake & Potomac Tp. Co., Baltimore, Md.  
Capt. E. L. Fisher, Ft. Monmouth to White Sands PG, N. Mex.  
Capt. M. J. Myers, Redstone Arsenal, Ala., to Elec. Research Unit Def. Lab., Mountain View, Calif.  
1st Lt. J. F. Paquin, Ft. Monmouth to Sch. Gary AFB, Tex.  
1st Lt. W. F. Coleman, Ft. Monmouth to 82d Abn Div., Ft. Bragg.  
1st Lt. W. A. Smith, Cp Kilmer to 313th ASU, Ft. Meade.  
1st Lt. G. H. LeClaire Jr., Ft. Bragg to Gary AFB, Tex.  
From Ft. Monmouth to points indicated:  
To 9577th TSU, White Sands PG, N. Mex.:  
2d Lt. W. S. Freeman, T. B. Jones, M. H. Neuhardt.  
2d Lt. A. O. Alouf, to 16th Sig. Co., Ft. Hood.  
C. Britz, to 990th Sig. Co., Cp. Gordon.  
J. Cervarich Jr., to 232d Sig. Spt. Co., Cp. Gordon.  
W. Charlton, to 261st Sig. Co., Ft. Bliss.  
F. L. Coger, to 299th Sig. Co., Cp. Gordon.  
R. F. Deanes, to 41st Sig. Bn., Ft. Bliss.  
F. Ferrell, to 303d Sig. Bn., Ft. Huachuca.  
F. A. Harper Jr., to 490th Sig. Co., Cp. Gordon.  
T. D. Harry, to 836th Sig. Co., Ft. Lewis.  
R. R. Matheson, to TSU, Cp. Gordon.  
H. E. Monroe Jr., to 9423d TSU, DC.  
E. Y. Nichols, to 288th Sig. Co., Ft. Hood.  
G. K. Stockton, to 9440th TSU, LIC, NY.  
R. W. Webber, to 838th Sig. Co., Ft. Hood.  
M. G. Whitmore, to 41st Sig. Bn., Ft. Bliss.  
J. A. Williams, to 844th Sig. Co., Cp. Gordon.  
D. M. Dyer, to TSU, Cp. Gordon.  
H. A. Hanemann, to 8600th AAU, DC.  
L. B. Hogue, to 523d Sig. Co., Cp. Gordon.  
J. A. Buchanan, 82d Abn. Div., Ft. Bragg.  
J. K. Clements, Gary AFB, Tex.  
C. S. Richardson, Gary AFB, Tex.  
TRANSFERS OVERSEAS  
To USAFFE  
Lt. Col. C. L. Clay, Carlisle Bks, Pa.  
Lt. Col. H. E. White, AFSC, Norfolk, Va.  
To USAFAC  
Capt. W. H. Traylor Jr., Ft. Huachuca.  
2d Lt. H. A. Leslie Jr., Ft. Monmouth.  
2d Lt. T. E. Ricks, Ft. Monmouth.  
To Bangkok, Thailand  
Maj. G. L. Kerr, Ft. Monmouth.  
To USAFAC  
2d Lt. D. B. Holloway, Ft. Monmouth.  
Capt. L. J. Hockman, Cp. Gordon.  
TRANSPORTATION CORPS  
TRANSFERS WITHIN Z. I.  
Lt. Col. D. L. Jenkins, 9231st TSU, Pittsburgh to OCoF, DC.  
Lt. Col. R. E. Hutson, Carlisle Bks, Pa., to OACOF, DC.  
Lt. Col. G. H. Shea, Ft. Bragg, to 5021st ASU, Ft. Riley.  
Lt. Col. L. F. Vallante, OCoF, DC, to 373d Trans. Port Comd. C, Ft. Eustis.  
To COSO, Ft. Leavenworth from points indicated:  
Lt. Col. C. L. Anderson, Ft. Eustis.  
M. E. Bruhl, OCoF, DC.  
N. A. Gage Jr., OCoF, DC.  
M. A. Hutchinson, Ft. Eustis.  
D. C. Melius, 5th Army, Chicago.  
J. M. Rice, OCoF, DC.  
To COSO, Ft. Leavenworth from points indicated:  
Lt. Antonelli, Ft. Eustis.  
R. W. Aronson, OCoF, DC.  
H. F. Boyle, OCoF, DC.  
R. D. Fish Jr., Pa. ROTC Instr. Gp., Temple Univ.  
A. T. Trainor, OCoF, DC.  
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Capt. M. H. Mathews, Cp. Stoneman to 93d Helicopter Co., Ft. Riley.  
Capt. P. M. Lawler, Ft. Eustis to 9224th TSU, Ft. Story.  
Capt. W. J. Higgins, NY POE, Brooklyn to COSO, Ft. Leavenworth.  
Capt. C. A. Wendorf, sta. New Orleans to sta. Theodore Amm. Loading Term., Ala.  
Capt. L. C. Lannak, Ft. Hamilton to Army Cml. Ctr., Md.  
1st Lt. C. E. Jones, Ft. Eustis to Sch., Ft. Benning.  
1st Lt. C. D. McKeown, Ft. Eustis to sta. Georgetown Univ., DC.  
1st Lt. G. D. Colwell, Ft. Eustis to 756th Trans. Ry. Shop Bn., Ft. Meade.  
To 373d Trans. Port Comd. C, Ft. Eustis from points indicated:  
2d Lt. L. E. Bartolini, Ft. Eustis.  
2d Lt. J. G. Greene, Ft. Eustis.

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CWO R. C. Bart, Army Cml Ctr, Md.  
CWO C. R. Brobst, Ft. Lee.  
CWO K. L. Montgomery, Ky Mil Dist, Louisville.  
CWO H. W. Stafford, Ft. Monroe.  
CWO H. C. Kauffman, Stewart AFB, NY.  
O. S. Kennedy, Ft. Knox.  
R. P. Lambert, Ft. Dix.  
H. J. Nairn, Ft. Dix.  
W. A. Ralston, Ft. Meade.  
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CWO O. M. Delaplane, Aberdeen PG, Md.  
CWO R. W. McKeich, Ft. Benning.  
CWO W. F. Canty, Sharpe Gen Dep, Calif.  
C. F. Pitman, Ft. Lewis.  
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L. E. Calhoun, Ft. Campbell.  
To Taipei, Formosa  
CWO H. M. Stanc, 6th Army, San Francisco, Calif.  
To Bangkok, Thailand  
CWO L. Gillman, Ft. Hayes.  
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1st Lt. Delma G. George, Ft. Belvoir to 9122d TSU, Somerville, N.J.  
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Capt. Helen L. Spore, Ft. Bliss.  
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Maj. Mary L. BenDure, USA Hosp, Ft. Campbell, to Fitzsimons AH, Colo.  
Capt. Ruth E. Lawson, Murphy AH, Mass. to USA Hosp, Ft. Sill.  
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1st Lt. Harriet L. Schupp, Murphy AH, Mass., to Valley Forge AH, Pa.  
1st Lt. Georgiana Pearson, Murphy AH, Mass., to USA Hosp, Ft. Devens.  
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Nancy E. McKnight, Fitzsimons AH, Colo.  
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Barbara A. Beltzel, Walter Reed AMC, DC.  
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## • THE INSIDE STRAIGHT

# Swindler Picks Wrong Name

By MICHAEL MacDOUGALL

CONVERSATION had turned to rubber checks. A natural subject, since all present, except myself, were connected with banks in one capacity or another. We were in the club car of the Nebraska banker's special train, headed back to Omaha after a statewide tour.

Someone remarked that a former bank employee, thoroughly familiar with banking procedure, could pass a good many worthless checks and might never be caught.

"He'd be caught, all right," said one of the bankers. "All check-passers, no matter how knowing, will eventually stumble. If the law can't trap him, Providence will."

"That sounds as if you had a particular individual in mind," I said.

The banker nodded. "And so I have," he agreed.

Thus, it was, I heard the exciting tale of Henri Jardinere, black sheep of a wealthy family and check-passer par excellence. Because I have no wish to instruct anyone in the gentle art of "paperhanging" I'll have to omit some technical aspects of the story.

HENRI HAD SPENT 10 years as a teller and assistant cashier before he decided that he'd rather draw money out than take it in. This was no sudden decision. Henri had pondered long and hard. If he was to commit a crime he wanted it to be a perfect crime. Avidly he read the articles on the subject which appeared in various banking publications.

Whenever a phony check-passer was caught, Henri looked for the weak point, the slip that enabled the law to close in.

One gyp artist preyed exclusively on boarding houses. He posed as a new employee of a local factory, rented a room nearby, paid a week's rent in advance with a fake company check, got the balance in cash, and skipped.

He didn't last long. The police simply notified all boarding houses of the M. O. (Method of Operation) and shortly thereafter the swindler was in jail.

Another varied his victims but not his name. All his spurious checks were made out to Frederick R. Simmons, because that was the name on his identification cards. He thought to fool the authorities by jumping from town to town but he didn't jump far enough fast enough. Frederick R. Simmons is presently a guest of the federal government.

One of the cleverest connivers varied his methods, his names, and his stories. He too worked a different town every day and, if possible, a different state. The FBI got him because he traveled in a straight line. They were able to predict where he'd strike next and were waiting.

HENRI JARDINERE INTENDED to avoid all these pitfalls and any others. The main error of most check-passers, he figured, was that their hauls weren't large enough — usually between \$20 and \$50. Since, if one were caught, one got just as long a sentence for \$200 as for \$20, one might as well try for the \$200. Businessmen wouldn't or couldn't cash checks of that size, but bankers could. Henri intended to dispense with the middle man, to fleece the banker himself.

Convinced that he knew all the curves and how to take them, Henri invested his savings in a station wagon and some special equipment — a check-writer, a small printing press, and thousands of blank checks of every conceivable type, color and size.

In Omaha he made a few

necessary arrangements, then started operations. Just before three o'clock on a Monday afternoon he walked into a small town bank, asked to see the president, and presented his credentials. According to these he was Jonathan Douglass, vice-president of the Grand National Bank in Omaha. The story Mr. Douglass had to tell was of great interest.

A lobbyist for a group of out-of-state bankers, said Jonathan, was at the capitol in Lincoln. He had rounded up a lot of support for a bill limiting interest payments in Nebraska. The Grand National Bank of Omaha, like many other banks, was against this practice. Mr. Douglass was touring the state asking the bankers to sign a petition opposing the bill.

Fervently, the bank president promised his support; eagerly, he signed the statement. The stage thus set, Jonathan Douglass rang up the curtain.

"BY THE WAY," he said, casually, "this trip is costing me more money than I expected and I'm running out of cash. Would you mind phoning Alden Colthorpe, cashier of my Omaha bank, to verify my credit? I'd like to have you cash my salary check for \$200 dollars. Of course, I'll pay for the call."

If ever a check looked genuine, that one did — paper of the finest quality, printing conservative yet rich-looking, and, for final touch of authenticity, made out on a check-writer.

Anyone but a banker, after a setup like that, would have cashed the check without question. But the bank president was cautious. He picked up the phone, asked for the Grand National Bank in Omaha.

"Rivertown 7700," prompted Douglass.

Mechanically, the bank president repeated the number. In a matter of seconds he was connected, not with the bank but with Jardinere's confederate.

"Yes," said the voice on the other end. "This is Alden Colthorpe. Yes, I know Jonathan Douglass. Yes, I'll vouch for his credit."

Five minutes later Henri Jardinere walked out, \$200 in stolen money in his pocket. Mentally, he calculated what would happen to that phony check. He had delayed cashing it until the last mail had gone, so the check wouldn't leave for Omaha until the following day.

Wednesday it would be returned marked "No Account." Immediately it would be sent back to Omaha, to the Nebraska Bankers' Association. Thursday the warning would go out. By noon Friday every member of the association would know that Jonathan Douglass was an imposter.

BY THAT TIME Henri expected to defraud four more banks of \$200 each. He had set a goal of \$1000 a week and intended to reach it. So charming was his manner, so distinguished his appearance, so convincing his credentials, that not one banker refused to cooperate.

Friday night, Henri drove back to Omaha, picked up the confederate who had answered the phone, and started driving. By



Monday he was 1000 miles away. For a full year Henri hopscotched over the country, traveling 1000 miles or more each weekend. Twice he struck up into Canada, once into Mexico.

Always his story varied, always the name was different. Since he never knew in advance where he would go next, the FBI could never predict his route. Never was a check-passer so successful, or so elusive.

It so happened that one year after his "career" started, Henri Jardinere was back in Nebraska. This time he posed as the representative of a Dallas oil firm, seeking to buy options on promising land.

When he had printed the false credentials for this week's operations Henri had dreamed up the name of George Weltmann. To verify George Weltmann's credit, bankers were asked to phone the home office. Naturally, he paid for the call.

Confidently, he walked into the bank, introduced himself to the president, and launched into his tale. As usual the bank president phoned Dallas, then cashed the check. And Henri walked out of the bank, straight into the arms of a waiting sheriff.

Sitting, handcuffed, in the sheriff's office, Henri Jardinere glumly confessed his guilt. What was the use of denying it? He had been caught in the act. And the very fact that the law had been waiting proved that they knew all about his previous transgressions.

ONE THING he didn't admit. He hadn't passed any phony checks in Omaha as the sheriff insisted. He never operated two weeks in succession in the same state.

Later, in his cell awaiting trial, Henri wondered where he had slipped. How could anyone have known that he was going to victimize that particular bank at that particular time? He hadn't known it himself until that same morning. It wasn't until after he'd been sentenced that Henri learned the truth.

The authorities hadn't been looking for Henri Jardinere at all, they had been hunting one George Weltmann, who had passed half a dozen worthless checks in Omaha. By some strange freak of fate, out of the millions of possible names, Henri had chosen George Weltmann.

When the story-teller finished the story there was a stunned silence. Then one of the listeners observed: "No fiction writer would ever dare use such a startling coincidence."

"It wasn't a coincidence," said the banker. "It was Providence, making certain that the guilty party was punished."

## • HOMECRAFT

## Sunday Seat

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## • VET GROUPS

## 'Union' Is Old

This is another in a series of short articles on service organizations and their aims.

The Army and Navy Union — organized in 1886 and incorporated March 31, 1888 — is reported to be the first service organization in the United States. It ranks with the Grand Army of the Republic as one of the older vet groups.

The organization is not limited to membership in any particular war or campaign. Applicants for membership must have received an honorable discharge from the U. S. armed forces or must now be serving in any unit of the armed forces.

THE Union's fundamental object is to continue national defense and national security. In addition, to promote, foster, encourage and perpetuate fraternal comradeship among all those who have seen service in the U. S. armed forces; to continue the high ideals of patriotism, loyalty, justice and service to the country and to educate all others in these principles; to uphold, guard and protect the honor and integrity of the Constitution, the national government, the flag, and the principles they represent; and to maintain constant vigilance against forces that might have as their intention the destruction of our present form of government through sabotage or subversive activities.

The Army and Navy Union seeks to provide for comrades or shipmates when sick or in need; to render aid in matters of employment or social security; to assist dependents of deceased members; and to obtain preferential legislation in favor of veterans and service personnel.

George W. Carr, of South Bend, Ind., is present national commander. National headquarters is 120 S. Tennessee Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.

NEXT: Congressional Medal of Honor Association.

## • BRIDGE

## Save Jump Shift For Best Hand

By EASLEY BLACKWOOD

When you have a good hand and partner opens the bidding with one of a suit, do you make a minimum response in a suit of your own or do you make a jump shift?

North dealer

Both sides vulnerable

North (Mr. Dale)

S-6 3

H-A 9 2

D-A Q 10 5

C-K 9 8 3

West (Mr. Muxxy)

S-7 5

H-Q 10 7 6

D-7 6 4 3

C-Q 10 2

S-A Q 10 9 8 4 2

H-4

D-K J

C-A 7 5

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 D	Pass	2 S	Pass
2 N T	Pass	4 N T	Pass
5 H	Pass	6 S	All Pass

Except in those rare cases where you have such overwhelming strength that you know a slam is a laydown, the decision cannot be made properly on the basis of high card strength alone.

A good fit in partner's suit and solidity in your own suit or suits are important considerations. Here is a good yardstick. Make a jump shift when you are willing to make a slam try if partner promptly raises your suit or makes some rebid which is not of the minimum variety.

When your hand is about the equal of an opening bid or even a little better, there is usually no reason to make a jump shift. It is very probable that you have a game but each time you make a minimum bid in a new suit, partner is forced to respond again.

When you have probed enough to find your best spot, bid the game, if you wish. But save the jump shift for the hands which have a definite slam flavor.

MR. MASTER'S HAND in today's deal was no monster as far as high card strength is concerned. But he had first-round control in two suits and second round control in the other two. He had two honors in his partner's suit and an excellent seven-card suit of his own.

When his partner rebid two no trump he knew he would find at least two spades across the table. That is, if Mr. Dale held only one spade or none, he would have either a rebiddable diamond suit or a second suit to bid.

So, after checking on aces, Mr. Masters bid the slam. He won the opening heart lead with dummy's ace and made the only correct lead at trick two—a spade to the ace. When this dropped the king, he entered dummy with the jack of diamonds to the queen, led another spade and finessed the 10, making seven.

If he had finessed the queen of spades and lost to the king at trick two, he still would have had a guess on the next spade lead. His play eliminated that guess and could lose only if all of the outstanding spades were in Mrs. Keen's hand.

## Disability Pay Rule

WASHINGTON.—Commissioned officers retired for disability caused by an instrumentality of war are now exempt from the statutory limitation of \$3000 a year dual compensation which heretofore applied when they held government jobs along with their retired pay.



## NCO School At Devens Is 'Tough'

FORT DEVENS, Mass.—One of the toughest military courses in this part of the country is that of the Advanced Leaders School here at Devens, where NCOs from all six New England states are trained in leadership.

So exacting are the standards that approximately one out of every five noncoms who attend the school is "washed-out" by the end of the three-week session.

Established last October, the school has had a total enrollment of 320 students, 253 of whom have successfully completed the course.

Beginning with a strict personal inspection at 6:45 each morning, students follow a rigid schedule which keeps them under constant pressure until 7 p.m. Passes are permitted evenings and weekends, but each man must live at the school and quarters are subject to rigid inspection at any time. Demerits may be given out for the slightest infraction of military discipline or personal conduct, and five of these are sufficient for restriction to quarters for the evening, while 15 demerits result in restriction for the weekend.

EACH MORNING session consists of classroom work in such subjects as essentials of leadership, personal affairs, training management, and methods of military instruction. Afternoon sessions take place on the drill field and are devoted to military drill and command of troops and to physical training, including such items as guerilla exercises, knife disarming, and bayonet training. Each week-day evening there is a compulsory study period from 6 to 7 o'clock.

For the man who successfully finishes the course there is a Certificate of Satisfactory Completion and there are engraved plaques for the outstanding student in each of two categories—leadership and academic standing. Each man dropped for failure is returned to his unit and a letter is sent to his commanding officer detailing the reasons for failure. Although any action to be taken on failure is at the discretion of the individual's commander, in a large number of cases failure usually results in demotion for the noncom concerned.

## Watching That Waistline



M/SGT. Virginia Cooksey, first sergeant of the Benning WAC Co., keeps an eye on her girls' appearance with these mess-hall scales. Passing approval at a trim 103 pounds is PFC Jean Takase. Awaiting her turn is Cpl. Greta Chann.

## Benning Wacs Pass Scales Test In Chowline Check-Up

FORT BENNING, Ga.—In the spring a young woman's thoughts often turn to her waistline, a consideration to which Fort Benning Wacs have been giving their attention on a year-round basis.

While the average civilian miss worries how she will fit into the latest seasonal creations, servicewomen at the Infantry Center are confident of looking trim in their summer garb.

A 1953 Army directive calling for "well distributed weight" has had the girls and their mess officer, 1st Lt. Kathleen M. Ford,

counting calories since last August.

The count they come up with is 2400, or 1200 less than the Army feeds its male soldiers. A comparison of sample menus reveals how the WAC mess hall deletes items such as doughnuts and devil's food cake, switches creamed potatoes to boiled spuds, and substitutes nourishing but low-calorie fresh fruit and vegetables for the more fattening foods on the male diet.

The result keeps measurements down and morale up. Mess Sgt. Lucy M. Bates claims "the girls have nothing but praise for their present meals. If they're not tempted, those extra calories are easy to avoid."

IN ADDITION to the calorie cut-down, the Wacs keep in shape with an hour of physical training each week and by playing softball, basketball, volleyball or tennis and by swimming.

A set of scales, conveniently located in the mess hall, helps the girls keep track of their progress.

The Wacs themselves are pleased with "Operation Waistline." "A girl is a lot more attractive without those extra pounds," one young woman pointed out.

## 5th Armd. Div. Band Cited For VA Work

CAMP CHAFFEE, Ark.—Camp Chaffee's 5th Armd. Div. Band recently received a certificate of recognition from the Veterans Administration for volunteer service to veteran patients.

The certificate was accepted by Maj. H. A. Lind, post special services officer, on behalf of Maj. Gen. W. L. Mitchell, commanding general of the 5th Armd. Div., at brief award ceremonies at the Fayetteville Veterans Administration Hospital.

The award was given for Fourth of July concerts presented in 1952 and 1953 at the Fayetteville hospital as part of the Veterans Administration volunteer service program.

The certificate will be displayed in the band day room.

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## Army's Suggestion Program Pays Off

WASHINGTON.—Ideas are worth money, and the Army will be the first to say so in looking back over the returns from its suggestion program for the past decade.

During the past 10 years, the Army has paid more than \$2-million for ideas on how to do jobs better, faster and cheaper. The money went to the Army's civilian employees as awards for 418,000 manpower, materials and money-saving suggestions.

First year savings resulting from these ideas saved the Army more than \$127-million. The ratio of savings to cash awards remains high.

THE ARMY paid cash awards for suggestions as early as 1912. However, payments were on a competitive prize basis and were limited to inventions and improvements in manufacturing processes in arsenals of the Ordnance Department.

During the critical days of War II, when there was extreme urgency to seize every opportunity for improving the speed and efficiency of government operations, the Army's suggestion program came into existence. It since has found a permanent place in effective personnel management.

Objective of an employee suggestion plan was to provide various types of incentives for mil-

lions of civilian employees in order to increase their general productivity. Consequently, on June 2, 1943, an employee suggestion and awards program was launched.

THE FIRST suggestion program recorded by history may have been originated by Emperor Yao of China during the era 2357-2258 B.C. Outside his palace, Yao placed a tablet on which anyone might write advice with respect to the government.

Modern day programs reportedly began at Leven Ship Yard, Dumbarton, Scotland, in 1880. During the same year, Yale & Towne Manufacturing Company at Stamford, Conn., is said to have introduced a suggestion system. However, the suggestion program movement actually did not get under way in the United States until 1894 when National Cash Register Co. inaugurated a plan which still is in operation today.

## Captain Tours Korea Playing Dixieland

WITH 7TH INF. DIV., Korea.—Taking time out from his duties as commander of Headquarters Co., 32d Inf., Capt. George R. Jost has been touring the regiment, trombone in hand, with sextet organized by Buccaneer Special Services.

Backed by 1st Lt. John A. Oja, Special Services officer, at the piano, he blows a mellow horn for the "Jolly Rogers." Touring units in the field with the group, Capt. Jost, who began his musical career in a school swing band, has been immediately successful with his renditions of "Boogie in F" and "Sentimental Journey."

Essentially a member of the Dixieland school, the captain looks for "the smooth sound that Jack Teagarden used to play." Two of his favorite numbers are "Alexander's Rag Time Band," and "Dark Town Strutter's Ball."

"As long as it's entertainment for the men," Capt. Jost remarked, "I'm glad to do it."

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GIRLS—Maj. Mrs. John BELL, Cpl. Mrs.

## Women's Hat Experts



**HOLDING THEIR AWARDS**  
(fish) for being good judges at a recent Camp Crawford, Japan, women's hat show are these three suave second lieutenants. Left to right, they are Donald W. Engel and Charles Barbour, 1st Cav. Div. Hq. Co.; and Donald Lewis, 13th Signal Co.

Walter CHIFFE, Sgt. Mrs. Emil ANKEL-MAN, Maj. Mrs. George WEAR, Maj. Mrs. William CASART, SFC—Mrs. Paul APOTTE, PFC—Mrs. John HOIGINTHAM, Lt. Mrs. Richard BASTAR Jr., Lt. Col. Mrs. Jacob RILEY Jr., Lt. Col. Mrs. Joseph McDEVITT, M/Sgt. Mrs. Rudolph KRZMARICH.

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GIRLS—Lt. Mrs. Charles SMITH, Cpl. Mrs. Robert ALLORE.

**FORT WOOD, MO.**  
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GIRLS—PFC—Mrs. Leonard GARY, Pvt. Mrs. Robert FELDMANN, Pvt. Mrs. James HADLAND, Sgt. Mrs. Gerald BISE, M/Sgt. Mrs. George BARGER.

## Fashions At Irwin



**SHOWING OFF** summer fashions at Camp Irwin, Calif., are these three Army ladies. Modeling the print playsuit is Mrs. Renwick N. Riley; Mrs. James M. Archuleta models a white bathing suit; while Sylvia Willey wears a casual slacks outfit. The fashion show was held at the Irwin Officers' Club.

## SOCIAL NOTES

### Fort Mason Elects

**FORT MASON, Calif.**—The Ladies Auxiliary, San Francisco Port of Embarkation, has elected Mrs. Byers Coleman, for its chairman for the next three months. She is the wife of Lt. Col. Byers Coleman, Chief of Movement Control Branch.

Other officers chosen to lead the group during the quarter were vice chairman, Mrs. Harry Holms; secretary, Mrs. Gerald Gifford; vice secretary, Mrs. William Gannon; treasurer, Mrs. Thomas Price; vice treasurer, Mrs. Hilmer Johnson; publicity, Mrs. Wayne Sauls; vice publicity chairman, Mrs. William Daniel.

### Fort Hayes Elects

**FORT HAYES, O.**—Mrs. Thomas A. Murphy was elected chairman of the Fort Hayes Officers' Wives' Club at the April meeting. She succeeds Mrs. Elmer Dugger. Mrs. A. L. Mecca, Jr., was elected secretary, replacing Mrs. Don Dixon.

### Mamie Says Thanks

**FORT HOOD, Tex.**—A gracious note of thanks from the First

Lady, Mrs. Mamie Eisenhower, was the reward that the Officers' Wives' Club of Fort Hood's 35th Engineer Group received last week as a result of their novel Easter greeting to the President's wife.

The greeting took the form of Easter eggs, decorated by Mrs. Robert B. Mathis, wife of the 35th Engineer Group Chaplain, with the highlight of the gift being an egg with the likeness of Mrs. Eisenhower in her Easter bonnet painted on it.

### Flower Winners

**FORT SAM HOUSTON, Tex.**—The military sweepstakes award in the annual Spring Flower Show of the San Antonio Woman's Club was won by the Fourth Army Woman's Club, with an arrangement which had as its focal point the Fourth Army patch, made of red and white carnations.

White gladiolas and a dark drape provided the background of the arrangement, and in front of the patch was a map of the Fourth Army area comprising Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas.

### Welcome To Mac

**FORT McPHERSON, Ga.**—A Welcome Coffee was given last week for officers' wives, Army nurses, and Women's Army Corps officers who are newcomers to the Post and Third Army Headquarters.

Mrs. A. R. Bolling met the guests as they arrived and members of the Welcoming Committee served as hostesses. They are Mrs. G. K. Withers, chairman; Mrs. R. J. Dial, co-chairman; Mrs. C. A. Butler, Mrs. T. J. Bowen, Mrs. R. L. Butt, Jr., Mrs. D. T. Hamersley, Mrs. R. A. Linnville, Mrs. A. J. Pollard, Mrs. Dan Dukes, Mrs. Clark Neal, Mrs. Jesse Wells, and Mrs. M. E. Newsom.

### JAG Ladies Meet

**WASHINGTON.**—A group of ladies from the Judge Advocate General's Corps met for a noon luncheon this week at the University Women's Club.

This is an organizational meeting for those interested in bridge or other card games. Mrs. Albert N. Hickey is the chairman. Mrs. Eugene M. Caffey, wife of the Judge Advocate General of the Army and Mrs. Claude B. Mickelwait, wife of the Assistant Judge Advocate General are among those planning to attend.



# Consumer Spending Still At Top

AMERICA'S CONSUMERS still are spending just about as much as they spent at the very peak of the 1953 boom—just over \$19 billion a month. The key is that consumers are spending less for goods, more for services. They're spending much more than they did in 1952, but the fact that they're spending it differently means less of an electrifying impact on our economy.

One of the nation's outstanding business leaders, Erwin C. Uhllein, president of the Joe Schlitz Brewing Co., has been awarded the Disabled American Veterans "citizen salute of the month" for service to disabled veterans.

Among statistics which make

## More Benefits Urged To Hold Service Men

WASHINGTON.—Military service should be made more attractive to reduce the high turnover rate of service personnel, declared the U. S. Chamber of Commerce at its 42nd annual meeting here last week. "In view of advances in weapons and warfare," the organization stated, "trained military personnel must be encouraged, both in the interest of economy and the welfare of the qualified individuals, to remain in service."

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the present business situation confusing are those on checks being cleared through all banks, and on net income after taxes of the people in the U. S., both of which are higher for the first months of 1954 than 1953. They seem on the surface, says the Wall Street Journal, to tell an entirely different story than the declines reported in production and employment.

What are the rules and regulations concerning retirement pay for Reservists under Public Law 810? A free booklet gives all the details. Just send a stamped, self-addressed envelope—and a request for Report No. 45—to the Business Editor, Times Publishing Co., 3122 M St. NW, Washington 7, D. C. One report to a request, please.

Most soft drink companies are showing considerable interest in changing from bottles to cans, reports Robert S. Solinsky, president of National Can Corp. He says the soft drink industry may well develop into a tremendous market for can makers.

The scheduled airlines set new traffic records last year, according to the Air Transport Association. The airlines carried about 31½ billion passengers more than 18 billion passenger miles. A passenger mile is one passenger carried one mile. This was a gain of 14 per cent in passengers and 16 per cent in passenger miles over 1952. The safety record in 1953 was the best ever made by the scheduled

lines—0.48 fatalities per million passenger miles.

First 23-jeweled self-winding watches to be mass-produced in America are being brought out by Buleva Watch Co. The new watches also feature a unique sealed-in lifetime mainspring that defies damage.

Patent has been issued to Dr. Robert M. Page, electronic expert of the Naval Research Laboratory, Washington, D. C., for his wartime invention of the radar mapping device known as the plan position indicator—P.P.I. The device enables gunners and bombers to hit unseen targets, detects enemy ships and aircraft, and aids navigation under unfavorable weather.

## All Equipment Stored For Tank Production

DEARBORN, Mich.—The Ford Motor Co. has pioneered in a new defense preparedness concept by storing all the equipment needed for M-48 medium tank production.

The defense tool package is located in a new U. S.-owned warehouse in Livonia, Mich., near the plant where Ford produced the tanks. The equipment represents a \$40 million investment by the government.

Military Sales Offices  
WASHINGTON.—AC Spark Plug division of General Motors has opened military sales offices here and in Los Angeles. Alexander C. Chisholm is the Washington representative and Morton B. Price is in L. A.

## THE WEEK In Congress

(Through May 3, 1954)

**SURVIVOR BENEFITS:** President signed into law HR 8539, giving servicemen who have completed 18 years' service another six months to come in under Contingency Option.

**KOREA AWARDS:** House passed, sent to President, S 2247, giving consent of Congress to acceptance by Army, Navy, Marine, Air Force, Coast Guard personnel of decorations tendered them by Allies in Korea.

**WARRANTS:** Senate Armed Services committee studied HR 6374, warrant of officer bill; planned to vote on measure May 6.

**APPROPRIATIONS:** (1) House passed, sent to Senate HR 8873, Defense Appropriations bill. (2) Senate passed, amended, HR 8481, supplemental appropriation bill giving extra money for retired pay, vet compensation, school aid, etc.

**CONSTRUCTION:** House Armed Services committee continued study of HR 8726, new service construction authorization bill.

**OVERSEA BANKING:** House passed, amended S 2044, making permanent the authority of disbursing officers overseas to exchange money, cash checks and otherwise act as bankers for personnel overseas. As passed by Senate authority would be extended only one year from present June 30 expiration.

**MEDICARE, VOTING:** Defenses, dependent medical care and service voting bills introduced as S 3363 and HR 8917, respectively.

**VET BILLS:** Subcommittee approved for full House Veterans committee consideration these bills: HR 7712 and HR 7851, special compensation for specified disabilities; HR 8041, giving vet benefits to members of old WAAC, physically disqualified to join WAC; HR 8488, restoring eligibility of certain German and Japanese citizens for veterans' benefits; HR 8789, providing three-year presumptive period for arthritis, psychosis and multiple sclerosis; HR 8790, giving Korean vets same basis as World War I and II vets for benefits arising in connection with reporting for final acceptance into service; HR 8900, providing special pension for Medal of Honor holders.

**NOMINATIONS:** President nominated—Graduates of Coast Guard Academy for commissions. (Senate Commerce committee immediately approved list.)

Numerous ROTC and other persons for appointment in Regular Navy and Marine Corps, and other officers for permanent promotion in Navy.

**OLD SHIPS:** House passed HR 8247, providing for keeping some and scrapping other historic vessels of Navy.

**CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES:** Senate passed HR 8268, providing certain fringe benefits for civilian government employees.

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## YOU AND YOUR MONEY Now's Time To Buy, Prices Probably Won't Go Lower

By SYLVIA PORTER

WASHINGTON.—Is this a good time to buy?

If you know how to shop and will take the trouble to do so carefully, the answer for a long list of things you need or want is: Yes.

The way the 1954 price-tax picture is now shaping up, the odds are you will gain little, if anything, by postponing your purchases to a later date. Chances for whopping price slashes—of the size that would justify your delaying your buying—are meager.

First, excise tax cuts are now fact. The top sales tax you must pay on many necessities, semi-necessities and luxuries has been reduced from 20-25 percent to 10 percent. Despite continued pressures, the odds are against more tax cuts in this field in 1954.

Second, prices are being shaved independently and impressively by manufacturers and retailers on a great variety of things. The sales advertised today are generally the real thing, not just bait. In the post-Easter clearances now going on, you should be able to pick up some worthwhile bargains.

Third, competition is compelling the businessmen of this country to make concessions to you, the customer. The only qualification is you must know how and where to buy.

Fourth, the way our economy is set up today constitutes a tremendous barrier to major price declines. Costs of labor are a key factor in the prices of most finished goods. Costs of raw materials are another key factor.

Finally, a significant obstacle

is the way Washington is minimizing price cuts as a solution to recession. Instead of emphasizing lower prices as a stimulant to buyers, government policy-makers are concentrating on easier financing, cheaper credit as a stimulant to buyers.

An overwhelming 77 percent of the consumers in our land think prices will be unchanged to lower this year. Looking at it from the other side of the fence—where the businessmen and economists sit—that judgment of yours isn't bad at all.

## Atomic Program Expands

EAST HARTFORD, Conn.—Pratt & Whitney Aircraft will lease a 97,000-square-foot building to be constructed in South Windsor, Conn., for work on development of an atomic energy aircraft engine. Deal has been approved by the Air Force and the Atomic Energy Commission.

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## Engineer Divisions To Be Consolidated

WASHINGTON.—Marking virtual completion of the Air Force Base at Thule, Greenland, and other North Atlantic defense installations, the Army Corps of Engineers' East Ocean Division will be terminated and its remaining work consolidated with that of the North Atlantic Division, New York City, the Army announced this week.

In announcing the action, effective in January 1955, Secretary of the Army Robert T. Stevens said that consolidation was a logical step in efficient operations, since the remaining work can be effectively administered under a single supervisory organization. Major construction is expected to be completed next year.

Maj. Gen. S. D. Sturgis, Jr., Chief of Engineers, in recommending the consolidation, said the resulting economies were essential and the close-out of the East Ocean Division a normal procedure for the Engineers in adjusting to varying workloads.

THE DIVISION'S main offices at Richmond, Va., will be closed and its Atlantic and Northeast District offices in New York will be merged into a single district under the North Atlantic Division.

About 350 employees will be affected by closing of the Richmond office and consolidation of the two district offices. Those who can be used on other Engineers' work will be transferred, and the remainder separated from the service.

Brig. Gen. Robert G. Lovett, the East Ocean Division Engineer, is scheduled to retire later this year.

## ORDERS

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Mary E. A. DeLude, Walter Reed AMC, DC.  
Ellen J. Pifer, Brooks AMC, Tex.  
Ana L. Rodriguez, Brooks AMC, Tex.  
Myra Tucker, Letterman AH, Calif.  
Heleen R. Winters, Walter Reed AMC, DC.

### TRANSFERS OVERSEAS

To USARCANH  
2d Lt. Mary P. Dwyer, USA Hosp., Ft. Riley.

### NAMES CHANGES

Capt. Isobel C. Convey, ANC USAR to Isobel C. Bazzes.  
Capt. Ruth Irene Graham, ANC RA to Ruth Graham Walker.  
Capt. Phyllis M. Harding, ANC Retd. to Phyllis M. Busch.  
Capt. Sally Markman, ANC USAR to Sally Markman Atkins.  
1st Lt. Kathleen Louise Charles, ANC RA to Kathleen Louise Drnek.  
1st Lt. Ann Irvin, ANC USAR to Ann Irvin.  
1st Lt. Cecelia M. Malette, ANC USAR to Cecelia M. Helbig.  
1st Lt. Caddy A. Rowan, WAC USAR to Caddy Rowan Meskins.  
1st Lt. Mary Jo Snyder, ANC USAR to Mary Jo Sando.  
1st Lt. Ruth Bailey Walsh, WAC USAR to Ruth Bailey Ward.  
2d Lt. Margaret E. Nolan, ANC Retd. to Margaret N. West.

### SEPARATIONS

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Lt. Col. Malcolm F. Kent, Inf.  
Lt. Col. Archie Littlejohn, AGC.  
Maj. Donald V. McCallum, Inf.  
Capt. William C. Cook, CE.  
Capt. Patrick Donohoe, Arty.  
1st Lt. Richard B. Dempsey, JAGC.  
1st Lt. William M. Finger, Sig. C.  
CWO Harry C. Chance, AGC.

### RESIGNATIONS

Maj. George E. Oldag, MC.  
Maj. Richard R. Baxter, JAGC.  
Capt. James O. Roorda, MC.  
Capt. Kenneth W. Freeman, QMC.  
Capt. Catherine U. Voetsch, ANC.  
Capt. Willford Epps, MC.  
Capt. Edmund J. Morgan, Jr., MC.  
1st Lt. Richard D. Kolter, TC.  
1st Lt. Henry L. Luers, Sig. C.

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Col. Charles E. Woodruff, Jr., Inf.  
Col. William H. Schaefer, Inf., upon own appl.  
Col. William A. D. Woolgar, MC, upon own appl.  
Col. George W. Vaughn, Ord., upon own appl.  
Col. Thomas J. Moran, Inf., upon own appl.  
Lt. Col. John B. O'Connell, Inf.  
Lt. Col. Thomas L. Borom, JAGC.  
Lt. Col. Helmer J. Uglum, Armor, upon own appl.  
Lt. Col. Gerard F. Maddux, TC, upon own appl.  
Lt. Col. George M. Perfater, FC, upon own appl.  
Lt. Col. Carl A. Rein, MPC.  
Lt. Col. Sylvester A. Merrill, AGC, upon own appl.

Lt. Col. Irving W. Hart, AGC.  
Lt. Col. Alvin R. Moore, CE.  
Lt. Col. Merle W. Barron, CE.  
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Capt. Robert S. Willard, Arty.  
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1st Lt. John O. Hill, Jr., Ord. C.  
1st Lt. Elmer C. Denis, Inf.  
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Vernon Hilburn.  
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Charles B. Underwood.  
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Marceline Acay.

### Rucker Roundup

## Battalion Move Accident-Free

CAMP RUCKER, Ala.—The 487th Transportation Co. (Light Truck), a Fort Knox, Ky., unit, convoyed the 2d Bn., 164th Inf. Regt., from Rucker to Fort Hood, Tex., a total of 72,000 miles, without a mishap. No vehicles were lost, cracked up or abandoned in the move.

SWEDEN'S military attaché to the U. S., Col. D. Tage Olsson, and his assistant, Lt. Col. D. Allan Ohlsson, visited Rucker during their recent tour of Army installations.

THE 1954 Red Cross drive here netted \$7620.52 from post and 47th Division units.

OFFICERS and enlisted men of the 47th Inf. Div. recently received a commendation from the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis for their record contribution of \$16,130.

SOME 300 Montgomery, Ala., youngsters will get their first taste of life in an Army camp this summer when the annual Montgomery Schools Safety Patrol outing is held here June 7-14.

## Ranger Course Hazards Are Daily Routine To Sgt. Dolan

FORT BENNING, Ga.—A sergeant who likes to live dangerously is probably the most indispensable man at the Infantry School's Ranger camp at Dahlonga, Ga.

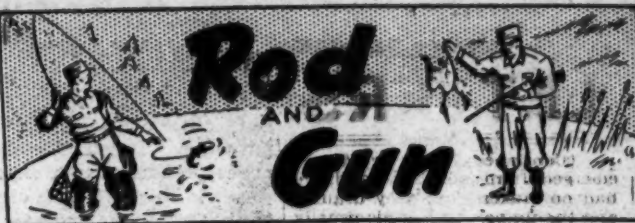
Sgt. James Dolan of Watertown, Mass., handles aggressor forces, climbs and descends rock cliffs, walks across rope bridges suspended high over the ground and swings across lakes at 35 miles an hour, a job that few care to tackle.

He performs these jobs, and more, every time a Ranger class arrives at the camp for two weeks of training in high terrain warfare tactics. At the moment, he is the Ranger Department's only qualified instructor of expedience and rappelling and one of only a

few demonstrators of the death slide confidence test.

Expedience consists of teaching Rangers to build one, two and three rope bridges. Although this may sound simple, Dolan says that great emphasis is placed on quality, for "everything they (the students) put up they must walk on."

IN THE RAPELLING phase, Dolan starts his students on 35-foot cliffs and graduates them to the 100-foot level by the time they leave the camp. As if trying to get down isn't hard enough, the class had a combat problem awaiting immediately upon completion of the draw downward.



By KEN SHORES

FORT CAMPBELL'S rod and gun club, possibly one of the most active in the Army, has been mentioned frequently here for its wide variety of activities. These regularly extend beyond post programs to include such events as national and regional field trials which have brought some of the nation's outstanding foxhounds and bird dogs into local action.

But one of the better functions of the club, from the individual's standpoint, is perhaps the manner in which on-post hunting and fishing is regulated. The idea is to keep down congestion in hunting areas, to give the angler a chance to tangle lines with gamefish, rather than a dozen other anglers.

Hunting on most posts is kept to carefully defined areas, and the number of hunters limited within each area. But—as a recent Campbell note explains—there's nothing confining about the hunting areas on this huge Airborne reservation. Each is approximately three times the size of Yamoto Drop Zone, which, the note says, "is indeed a large area as any paratrooper who has walked from its extremities to the turn-in point will tell you."

Each of the plots, one is assured, is almost guaranteed to provide adequate pheasant, quail, rabbit or squirrel hunting. Lesser species, such as opossum and red fox may be hunted the year round.

ASIDE FROM the licensing and regulation of on-post hunting, the club sponsors skeet shoots, rifle matches, coon hunts, turkey shoots and other allied activities. There's something for everyone, apparently—enough to attract more than 1000 club members, according to a recent membership check.

Membership, which costs \$2, must be renewed each year. In addition to hunting and fishing privileges, members are permitted to invite civilian guests or personal house guests to use the club facilities. These include two skeet ranges and a clubhouse where members can relax over snacks and swap yarns.

Recently, in cooperation with the Tennessee Department of Conservation, the club released 23 turkeys and 95 quail. They were planted in a protected area to test breeding possibilities. Also, through the Department of Conservation, 7400 black bass and 2540 bluegills were released this year in Lake Taal, the reservation's artificial lake.

### Taking Your Dog?

Something mighty handy for the dog-owning service family, in transit between stations or on leave, is a list of hotels and motor courts in every state that accept guests with dogs. In case you've never run onto one, such a list is included in a little booklet, "Touring With Towser," put out by the Gaines Dog Research Center, 250 Park Ave., New York 17, N. Y.

The 1954 edition names, state by

state, more than 4000 stopping places that accept dogs, with an index as to accommodations for them, special circumstances in which they can be kept, etc. The booklet costs only a dime, to cover mailing from the address above. And it could be a dime well spent to know, about nightfall, just where one will find a stopover without that familiar sign, "No Dogs Allowed."

### Short Shots

Fort Belvoir riflemen edged Fort Eustis 2306-2291 on the latter's ranges last week to win the Virginia State Gallery championship. In addition to first and second team places in the state tourney, the Engineers came home with 17 individual medals and two individual trophies. . . . The 8250th ASU rifle team from Fort Shafter fired a winning team aggregate of 861x1000 with 39 V's to win the second annual General's Trophy hi-power shoot, held two weeks ago at Schofield Barracks. Lt. Col. Elgin G. Radcliff was high man for the winners, followed by Capt. Robert B. Rankin, Col. Paul V. Bissell and Pvt. Ernest Murakami. . . . Fort Wood's 12 major commands are lining their sights for the post rifle and pistol finals to be run off May 22-30. The post tourney is a warm-up for the Fifth Army matches at Fort Riley June 14-18.

## Regiment Moves To Ft. Benning Minus Accidents

FORT BENNING, Ga.—Vehicles of the 164th Inf. Regt. chalked up 38,000 miles without an accident, shuttling over the 125-mile convoy route between Camp Rucker, Ala., and their new home here.

Approximately 380 vehicles, ranging from jeep to 2½ ton truck, took part in the six-day hauling operation which moved the 164th to the Infantry Center.

Lt. Robert G. Burns, regimental motor officer, commended the drivers for lack of accidents and cited the "fine cooperation" of drivers of vehicles loaned by other units.

Before the move, mechanics of the 164th worked in shifts almost around the clock, preparing the vehicles for the trip. The only vehicle that failed to reach Benning under its own power was a 2½-ton truck that developed transmission trouble en route.

DOLAN ALSO handles the aggressor forces and is responsible for setting up obstacles in the paths of friendly troops, who are the Ranger students.

He can be found anywhere once the action begins. "I may be a friendly front line commanding officer and help the Rangers in any way I can, and a few hours later I may be an aggressor forces sergeant," he says.

The young sergeant entered the Army in September 1951, and took basic training at Fort Dix, N. J. He also attended leadership school there and was assigned to Benning in April 1952. He became an instructor in the Ranger Department in June 1952.



# LETTERS

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emerged from water to land, we had no brakes until they drained and the lining dried. This usually took five or 10 minutes but could prove dangerous and, in my outfit, sometimes did.

But the DUKW was one of the greatest inventions used in the Pacific. I think I have the proper experience to say that. I was assigned to the 809th Amphibian Truck Co. (TC).

LEONARD L. COPELAND

## Salute's Return

ENGLAND: I salute Patricia Morris. I believe she is more of a soldier than is the sergeant who wants nothing to do with saluting.

A soldier will salute, if he is a soldier, on or off base.

The non-commissioned officer's corps is an important part of the Army. It is the duty of a non-com to set the example, be a model, a leader and a commander. Subordinates pattern themselves by his actions.

The sergeant must have shown some type of leadership or he wouldn't be a non-commissioned officer today.

My suggestion is that this sergeant enroll in a leadership course or a non-commissioned officer's academy to broaden his mind as to the duties and responsibilities of his rank.

M/SGT. V. L. ALVESTAD

CAMP POLK, La.: Mrs. Patricia Morris and her kind make me burn no end. I am not saying whether she is right or wrong; what I do want to say is that she is not in the Army, so she should keep quiet when something comes up about the Army.

If I had my way, I would keep all distracting females away from troops during the day and certainly not allow these wives to drive around to the club or pool, disrupting classes and everything else, many times on purpose.

I would allow only the things I allow my wife and that is, going to the commissary and dispensary and that's all. The rest I can escort her to after hours and not allow her to run around sounding off and teasing the troops.

M/SGT. B. E. M.

## Master In Basic

PRESQUE ISLE, Me.: I am recruiting for the Army and Air Force, which would give the impression that I like the Army and intend to stay in. That has been true in the past, but I am gradually becoming disgusted. Here is one reason:

Some 90 days ago, a National Guard master sergeant from this area discovered that he could be drafted into service in grade if he took a break in service, making him eligible for the draft. He was then assigned to Service Btry., 34th FA Bn., 9th Inf. Div. at Fort Dix, N. J.—to take eight weeks of basic training!

I do not know how many NCO slots are being filled by Guard personnel, but I am of the opinion that five NG NCOs are worth about as much as one RA private. Anyone can get in the National Guard and make stripes after stripes by taking Series 10 correspondence courses. Since when can you make a soldier by giving him a book, a pencil and a buddy who knows the answers?

Army officials complain about noncoms not getting the proper amount of respect or authority. I am one soldier who will never respect a man who made his stripes as a "weekend warrior" while a war was going on in Korea and he was filling in Series 10 answer sheets.

"RECRUITER"

## Patch Collectors

FAIRFIELD, Calif.: While my father, Capt. H. H. Thompson,

## Military Type



APPARENTLY, Betty Hanson, 20, carries herself like a soldier, for a chiropractors association has just named her "Miss Posture" for this year. The girl from Sioux Falls, S. D., measures 35-23-35, for the record.

was in Korea with the 3d Division, my brother Eddy and I started a collection of unit patches. We have quite a few but certainly would be happy to receive lots more, if your readers could possibly send them to us. We are trying to make a blanket with them. I am 11, Eddy is 9.

TONY THOMPSON  
1230 Tyler St.

## 'Look Who's Talking'

FT. BEN HARRISON, Ind.: Your editorial on page 1 of the April 17 issue was one of the best I have seen. It is too bad that all the wire services that printed the original offer by Gen. Wilson can't find a place for your answer.

Who ever heard of a general officer trying to bribe an NCO to hit one of his men? His offer hurt the Army, in my opinion, more than the present senator vs. secretary issue in D.C.

W. S. BEASLEY

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M/SGT. L. L. POLSTON

# House Eases Service Curbs

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easing of the limit set on the amount of goods the government will pay to transport on a change of station.

The new limit proposed is 11,000 pounds, instead of 9000. It is the same as the permanent limit for colonels. Thus only general officers would be affected by the new curbs. Permanent limits are: one-star, 12,000 pounds; two-stars, 14,500; three-stars, 16,000, and four-stars, 24,000 pounds.

The House Armed Services committee is planning to overhaul the permanent law and thus replace the rider.

It was Armed Services' processing of the Arends bill, now on the President's desk for signing into law, which resulted in the House's ditching of the officer grade limits imposed by the Davis rider.

Although the new appropriation bill would permit the Van Zandt rider restrictions on officer retirements to go off at midnight June 30, signing of the Arends' bill will end them at once.

The committee's revision of the off-duty education rider will make all grades pay a quarter of the expenses of off-duty education. In addition, commissioned personnel must agree that they will remain on active duty for two years after completing such training.

The present rider requires no charge for tuition of enlisted personnel and O-1s and O-2s but bans any payments for Army captains or above.

Despite Navy pleas, the House left intact its ban on legal training in a duty status for any officer not previously enrolled.

On the other hand, it made permanent the ban on paying a resident of a territory or possession any extra compensation when he is stationed in his home area. Defense had agreed that such personnel—particularly Reserve components not on active duty—should not get foreign pay, but had asked that they get station allowances on the same basis as U. S. residents on duty in a territory.

The limit on the average the services can spend to educate a child overseas was left at \$225. The services had asked a \$250-limit since the average parent now has to make up about a \$20 deficit.

## MDW 'Blue-Collars' Get Pay Increases

WASHINGTON.—Pay boosts averaging six cents an hour have been approved for approximately 16,750 "blue-collar" employees of the Army, Navy and Air Force at posts in the Washington area.

Ranging from 2 to 12 cents an hour, the increases reflect salary changes made in private industry around Washington since April 1953. They are effective at the beginning of the first pay period after May 8. Employees covered are mainly laborers, mechanics and craftsmen.

Major Army installations having per diems who will get the raise are: Army Map Service; Fort Belvoir, Va.; Fort Meyer, Va.; and Walter Reed Medical Center.

## 36th Army Band Moves From Knox To Huachuca

FORT KNOX, Ky. — The 36th Army Band, which has been attached to the 3d Armcd. Div. since 1948, left this week for Fort Huachuca, Ariz., where the band will be attached to a Sixth Army unit.

CWO Merle W. Kramp has been the band's leader since August 1953. WCJG Richard E. Lewison is the assistant band leader.

Also left unchanged was the commissary rider requiring mark-ups to pay for utilities, spoilage, etc.

A new rider requires all students in basic senior ROTC (normally first two years of college) to execute loyalty oaths.

The 475,000 ceiling on graded civilians was left on, but to encourage replacements of military personnel with civilians, authority was given to exceed the ceiling for such purposes provided the civilians are paid from military personnel appropriations transferred over for such purposes.

MONEYWISE, the bill recommends \$28,680,706,500 in new funds. This is \$1,206,348,500 less

than asked for, but all but \$541 million of the cut was volunteered or results from bookkeeping. In addition, out of previously appropriated funds, the committee slashed \$500 million from Army procurement and \$550 million from stock funds.

By services, this is how the proposed appropriations would be divided:

Army — \$7,615,523,000 — nearly \$600 million less than requested; \$5.3 billion less than appropriated for the present fiscal year.

Navy, Marine Corps — \$9,705,818,500 — \$209 million less than requested; \$268 million more than this year.

Air Force — \$10,819,310,000 — \$381 million under requests; \$349 million less than this year.

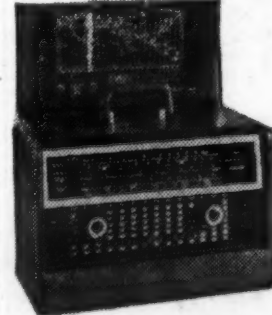
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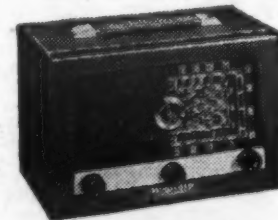
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Q. Have you any idea as to who is the Army's tallest man?

A. According to latest available information, he's Sgt. Robert Hill of Detroit who measures 6 feet 8½ inches.

### HOUSEHOLD STORAGE

Q. For how long may a non-

commissioned officer leave his household goods in government storage when he is on temporary assignment?

A. Ordinarily, government storage may be up to one year, after which the goods are placed in commercial storage at the member's expense. Exception is made,

however, when the member is assigned overseas.

### TOO MANY MASTERS

Q. Why are so few master sergeants being sent to Europe at this time?

A. Because, except for about a dozen military specialties, there is currently an oversupply of master sergeants in the European Command. It is expected that after

July 1 the field may open up for such assignments.

### VERMONT BONUS

Q. How much does the Vermont state bonus pay to War II veterans and to Korea service veterans?

A. Maximum payment is \$120, at the rate of \$10 per month for enlisted service only between Sept. 12, 1941 and June 30, 1947, or between June 27, 1950, and June 30,

1953. Application should be made to Adjutant General's Office, Montpelier, Vermont.

### 12TH ARMORED ASSN.

Q. How can one get in touch with the secretary of the 12th Armored Division Association?

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# The Light Touch

BY YE OLE VET

WAX wrappers will soon be perfumed to suggest the products they contain. Some will have fresh-bread odors; others will smell like chocolate and coconut. We sincerely trust this sort of packaging is not extended to include limburger cheese.

With coffee percolating to a high of \$1.21 a pound, there's one small ray of hope for American consumers.

There's a new doughnut on the market that soaks up less coffee when dunked.

As a "good will gesture" toward trading with Russia, Rep. Thurmond Chatham of N. C. offered to send Moscow "one pedigreed Guernsey bull and four pedigreed heifers for enough sable skins to make five capes."

Why not? In this country all we need is a few muskrats to make a "mink" coat.

OH, FIE!

My girl friend said, "Romance is dead."

"Our love cannot endure."

I asked her why. Her reply:

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In Italy, the winner of a "Miss Spring" beauty contest suddenly announced that "she" was a man and hurled a pair of falsies at the judges.

All of which proves an adage popular with American men: "Seeing is not necessarily believing."

A Hollywood actor was bragging to columnist Mike Connolly that his psychiatrist had a piece of equipment that always made him feel better.

"What is it?" asked Connolly.

"A nurse!"

A bill before Congress would repeal an old law requiring doctors to inspect all cooking done by enlisted men.

Luckily, the law hasn't been observed for 49 years. Otherwise—knowing doctors—we're sure men in uniform would have starved to death.

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My waistline around forty-four.

GIs who served in India will remember the one about the two cobras that stuck their heads up from the basket as the snake charmer piped his flute:

One cobra turned to the other and said: "Darling, they're playing our song!"

As our phone rang this a.m., we were reminded of the crack made by Audie Murphy, famous hero of War II.

For an hour Audie—in a tank destroyer—had been holding off a company of Germans when the field telephone buzzed and somebody asked how close he was to the enemy.

"Wait a second," he said. "I'll let you talk to one."

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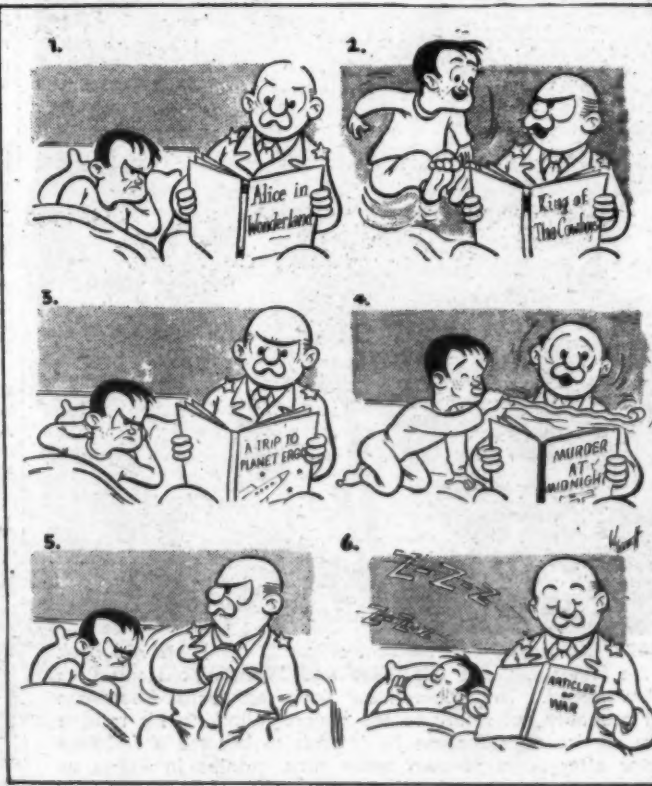
## LITTLE SPORT



By Rouzon

## THE LITTLE GENERAL

by Wyrach



## Craig Girl Scouts Stress Cycle Safety

CRAIG AFB, Ala. — Safety for cyclists is being stressed by the Craig Girl Scout troops in conjunction with an effort of many of the girls to earn their cyclist proficiency badge.

## Alaska Servicemen Get Radio Program

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# Command Champs Meet In All-Army Boxing Show

FORT BLISS, Tex.—Results of the second round bouts in the All-Army boxing tournament here this week:

## Flyweight

Gonzales Gomez, 111½, Fourth Army, decisioned Arnold Stanley, 109½, Second Army.  
Preston Jenkins, 111½, USAREUR, decisioned Nicholas Lopez, 112, Sixth Army.  
William Stewart, 111½, Third Army, decisioned Charles Tourillet, 106½, Fifth Army.  
Akira Kano, 110½, USARPAC, KO'd Cecil Young, 112, First Army, 2:28 third round.

## Featherweight

Edward Cole, 125, Third Army, decisioned Ernest DeJesus, 113½, USARPAC.  
Norris Shepard, 125, USAREUR, decisioned Edward Tavares, 12, Sixth Army.  
Bob Tenequer, 125, Fifth Army, defending All-Army champion, decisioned Anthony Clark, 123½, Second Army.  
Delmas Arthur, 124, Fourth Army, decisioned Thomas Spencer, 122½, First Army.

## Lightweight

Paul DeMarco, 130½, First Army, KO'd Albert Caldwell, 129½, Second Army, 1:30 second round.  
Bernard Gallacher, 130, USAREUR, TKO'd Richard O'Neill, 129½, Sixth Army, 1:30 second round.  
Louis Cappellano, 131, Fifth Army, decisioned Arcadio Cadato, 129½, USARPAC.  
Leon Upshur, 132, Third Army, decisioned Robert Johnson, 131, Fourth Army.

## Light-Middle

Abraham Linnear, 155½, Sixth Army, KO'd Hoover Ivory, 152½, MDW, 1:37 first round.  
William Martin, Fifth Army, decisioned Jesse Davenport, 155½, Second Army.  
Ed Crook, 154, Third Army, TKO'd Jarrett Johnson, 154½, USAREUR, 2:28 second round.  
Ommer Darty, 152, Fourth Army, decisioned Charles Boone, 155, Fifth Army.

## Light-Heavy

Clifford Mekulehus, 178½, USARPAC, TKO'd Edward Fowler, 173, Fifth Army, 1:37 third round.  
Harry Davis, 175½, Second Army, TKO'd Ronald Miller, 174, MDW, 2:38 second round.  
Robert Barksdale, 170, Fourth Army, decisioned John Andrews, 172½, First Army.  
Edward Jenkins, 169, Third Army, decisioned William Parker, 175½, Sixth Army.

**RESULTS of the opening night fights:**  
**Bantamweight:**  
Sam Price, 118½, Fourth Army, decisioned Pete Comacho, 118½, Fifth Army.  
George Davis, 118½, Second Army, TKO'd Francois Labarre, 118½, USAREUR, 2:59, 1st round.  
Sammy Garcia, 119, Sixth Army, decisioned Felix Canyon, 118½, USARPAC.  
**Light-welterweight:**  
Terry Lloyd, 139, Fourth Army, decisioned Abraham Pringle, 138½, USAREUR.  
Leon McKlin, 138½, Fourth Army, decisioned Juan Washington, 138½, First Army.  
Sam Johnson, 137, Third Army, KO'd Wardell Jackson, 137, Sixth Army, two minutes of 1st round.  
**Welterweight:**  
William Thrash, 144, Third Army, decisioned T. W. Wilson, 146½, Fifth Army.  
Herbert Mickles, 146½, USAREUR, decisioned Stanley Vaughn, 144, Second Army.  
Robert Bolden, 146½, Sixth Army, decisioned Charles McNaughton, 145½, MDW.  
Thomas Jackson, 146, First Army, decisioned Thomas Johnson, 145½, Fourth Army.  
**Middleweight:**  
Daniel Ellison, 161, Second Army, decisioned Wilson Hannibal, 160, USARPAC.  
Gills Williams, 156, First Army, decisioned Salter Barksdale, 165, Fifth Army.  
Roscoe Elliott, 165, Third Army, decisioned James A. Crawford, 164, USAREUR.  
**Heavyweight:**  
Dale Valburg, 186½, Fifth Army, KO'd Thomas Black, 195, First Army, 2:43 1st round.  
Joe Branham, 191, USAREUR, KO'd John Shaw, Sixth Army, 40 seconds, second round.  
Gary Jawish, 188, MDW, decisioned Lonzo Small, 211, Second Army.  
John Johnson, 190, Third Army, decisioned Obadiah Rhodes, 193½, Fourth Army.

**COMPETING** in the tournament are the seven Statewide commands plus the European Command (USAREUR) and the Pacific Command (USARPAC).

Billy Cavanaugh, former boxing coach at West Point, is serving as tournament director. Last year the Second Army team won the team championship.

The tournament is the first All-Army tournament ever to be held at Fort Bliss. Following the tournament the Army champions will remain at Bliss to prepare for the Inter-Service championships May 12-13 at Lackland AFB, Tex.

The European team was the first to reach Bliss, arriving April 26, after four days traveling from Nurnberg, Germany. The team was forced to make eight plane changes carrying them from the Azores Islands to Newfoundland, New York, Fort Worth and finally El Paso.

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## By Mort Rosenfeld

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## ANOTHER INVESTIGATION (YET)

# Is Army Coddling Sports Stars?

By TOM SCANLAN  
Sports Editor

WASHINGTON.—While the Army vs. McCarthy television show continued to receive banner front-page headlines this week, another Congressional investigation involving the Army was getting ready to begin, this one being a good bet to rate headlines on the nation's sports pages.

Whether it will amount to anything more than a sideshow to a sideshow remains to be seen.

There are no Schines involved in this latest investigation but the charges of "coddling" will be heard frequently.

Subject matter is alleged preferential treatment given big-name athletes in the Army. Unlike the Schine business, however, these hearings will be concerned with inside, rather than outside, pressure.

**THE PUBLIC** hearings will be conducted by the House Armed Services Subcommittee headed by Rep. William E. Hess (R., Ohio). Among other things, the service careers of at least ten famous athletes will be discussed.

Although he has long since been out of the Army, one of these big name athletes will be Sugar Ray Robinson, former welterweight champ.

The other nine, according to advance information, are baseball players Willie Mays, Whitey Ford, Billy Martin, Alex Konikowski and Dick Brodowski, basketball's O'Brien twins, and boxers Sandy Saddler and Chico Vejar.

The subcommittee claims to have information that these athletes have been kept off overseas orders or KP or guard duty or afternoon duty or some other duty in order to play on post teams (or fight professionally, as in Vejar's case).

The Army's official position matter is that "known name" athletes will not receive preferential treatment solely because of their athletic ability," as stated in DA Circular 101, dated Oct. 16, 1953.

IN ADDITION to those listed

subcommittee special counsel John J. Courtney.

Among these are such as Don Newcombe, Ken Venturi, and (until Monday of this week) Hank Bauer, star Yankee outfielder. Bauer was virtually unknown when he was in the service. He enlisted in the Marines in 1942 and served until 1945. Before his Marine service he had played only one year of minor league ball and this with Oshkosh of Wisconsin State League. He hit .262 for Oshkosh.

## Former Yankee Star Returns



**BOBBY (DOC) BROWN**, medical officer (1st Lt.), arrived back in the States with his wife Sara and 19-month-old son Pete last weekend. The former New York Yankee third-baseman will probably not return to the majors following his release from service now because he intends to become a full-time doctor after July. Brown spent nine months in Korea as medical officer for the 160th FA Bn., 45th Inf. Div.

As Hess explained, "reports on Bauer go back to War II."

**HESS SAID** that there is no indication that any of the athletes themselves asked for preferential treatment, adding that "some of the athletes themselves have complained to us," a statement that might well bring to mind the best-selling novel and Academy Award movie, "From Here to Eternity." (The central character, Prew, didn't want to be a "jockstrap," as readers of the book and viewers of the movie will recall.)

Hess wants to see that famous athletes drafted into service are trained and treated like other men. "Sure, let them play ball," says Hess, "but on the basis of recreation only, and after regular duties are taken care of."

**BRIG. GEN. H. C. Powell**, Deputy Assistant Chief of Staff, G-1, was scheduled to be the first to testify for the Army. Although Powell had no "formalized statement" to make before the hearings this week, he told *Army Times* that the Army's position on Army athletics is definitely geared to intra-mural sports activity. This is in line with the Army's "Sports For All" program.

If the hearings develop into a matter of listing big name athletes who did not go overseas, the Army can present a list of big name athletes who did go overseas, Gen. Powell said.

**IN THIS REGARD**, it is interesting to note that Sandy Saddler, one of the ten athletes listed above, just came back from overseas duty. Saddler, featherweight boxing champ, served in Europe in an athletic capacity—which is hardly surprising—and was stationed at Fort Jay, N. Y., where he was attached to Special Services and served as boxing coach for the post before his discharge two weeks ago.

If this aspect of Saddler's (See HOUSE, Page 30)



## Rocky's Brother Also A Pro

FORT LEE, Va. — Pvt. Louis Marchegiano is quick to admit that he couldn't beat his big brother up. It figures.

His brother is Rocky Marchegiano, world heavyweight champion, who shortened his family surname when he entered the ring.

Louis, at present a Graves Registration student (Class 54-7) at the Quartermaster School, has had only limited boxing experience himself but a brotherly match with Rocky a few years back created much ado.

THE MATCH came about before Rocky won the title. "My brother couldn't get a sparring partner while he was on an exhibition tour in Maine," explains Louis, "and he had me spar with him, but the boxing commission found out about it and threatened to suspend my brother because I wasn't a professional." After some explanations, the charge was withdrawn.

Although his big brother, whose fighting weight is 187, thinks that Louis could "make out all right" as a boxer, the younger Marchegiano prefers baseball to boxing.

Weighing in at a robust 177 pounds on a solid 5-8 frame, Louis is a professional ball player owned by the Toronto Maple Leafs of the AAA International League.

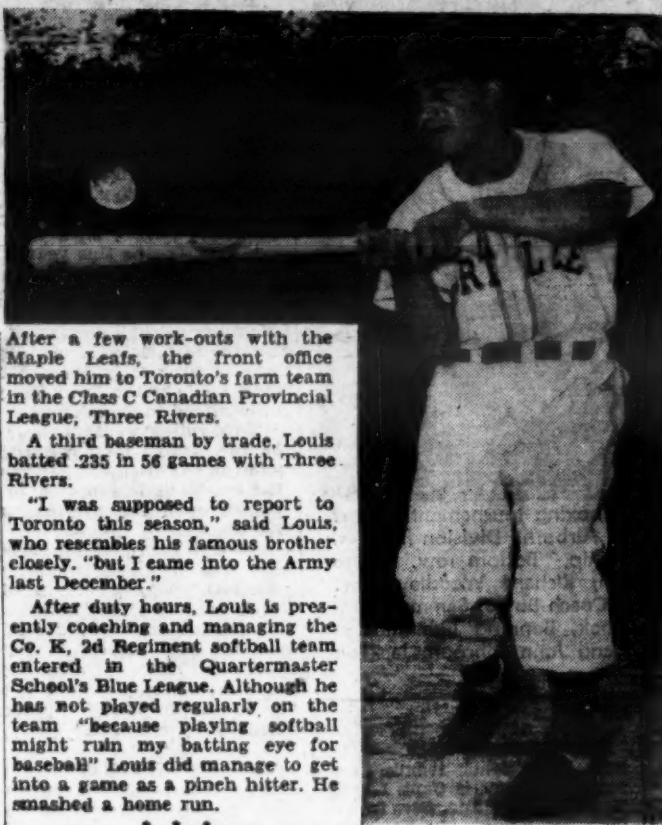
Following three good seasons of American Legion ball, the 20-year-old Army private had offers from six major league ball clubs, but signed directly with the Maple Leafs who gave him the best contract. The Milwaukee Braves, Baltimore Orioles, Cincinnati Redlegs, New York Giants, and New York Yankees were after his services, according to Louis.

A PREP SCHOOL student, Louis had to defer joining the Toronto nine until mid-July of last year.

### Lee's Chet Gierula Signs With Browns

FORT LEE, Va. — Fort Lee's line coach and part-time tackle Chet Gierula has signed a contract to play football with the Cleveland Browns.

Gierula's signing makes him the fourth member of the 1953 Travelers, which turned in a 6-2-1 mark, to sign a pro contract since December.



After a few work-outs with the Maple Leafs, the front office moved him to Toronto's farm team in the Class C Canadian Provincial League, Three Rivers.

A third baseman by trade, Louis batted .235 in 56 games with Three Rivers.

"I was supposed to report to Toronto this season," said Louis, who resembles his famous brother closely, "but I came into the Army last December."

After duty hours, Louis is presently coaching and managing the Co. K, 2d Regiment softball team entered in the Quartermaster School's Blue League. Although he has not played regularly on the team "because playing softball might ruin my batting eye for baseball" Louis did manage to get into a game as a pinch hitter. He smashed a home run.

ROCKY WAS originally in professional baseball. That was six years ago. He was a catcher and had been signed by the Chicago Cubs. He hurt his arm, and decided to become a boxer. Rocky had never put on the gloves before except during his tour in the Army during War II.

Louis was never in doubt that his brother would make it. "I always knew he'd make it from his first fight. He's a very determined guy, and I knew that no matter what he'd do he'd be a champ in it. He never smokes or drinks; he's the perfect athlete. He's that kind of a guy."

LOUIS PLANS to stick with baseball. "My mother," he said, "doesn't like boxing. My father, Peter, travels with Rocky and sort of looks after him."

There is a third brother in the Marchegiano clan who Louis be-

lieves will even beat his older brother as an athlete. He's the youngest of the trio, 13-year-old Peter Jr. who has been a sensation in Little League baseball the past few seasons. "He'll probably become a pro ball player. I doubt if he'll go into boxing. If he does, he'll be great at that, too. He's an all-round athlete."

The Marchegiano family is presently looking forward to June 17 when Rocky defends his title against Ezzard Charles. "I think my brother'll beat him," predicted Louis.

## Henry Cryer Runs Blazing Quarter-Mile For Brooke

FORT SAM HOUSTON, Tex. — PFC Henry Cryer, All-Service half-mile champ in 1953, lived up to his advanced notices—but in the wrong event—at Brooke Army Medical Center's first meet of the season.

The former University of Illinois track star stepped off the quarter-mile in the fine time of 47.5 seconds. This performance was one of the best of the year in the United States and was only one and a half seconds off the world's record.

In his specialty, the half mile, Cryer won handily in 1:54.7, but this was almost five seconds slower than his best time in 1953.

Cryer's double victory was matched by 30-year-old SFC Alex Litman as the powerful Brooke's squad won 13 of 15 events to trounce three Texas colleges at Alamo Stadium in San Antonio.

Litman, defending Fourth Army dash champ, took the 100 with a time of 9.8 and the 220 with 22.2.

Brooke rolled up 105 points to 35 for San Antonio College, 15 for Schreiner Institute of Kerrville, and one for Concordia Lutheran College of Austin. The Comets' next meet is scheduled for May 17 when they take on Lackland Air Force Base here under the lights.

Second Lt. John P. Walter, former track captain at Michigan State College and Brooke Army Medical Center coach, won the mile by 200 yards as he raced the distance in 4:27.5. Pvt. Ralph

### Eustis Wins

FORT EUSTIS, Va. — The Eustis Wheels won their 12th win in 17 games as they whipped the Norfolk Air Station team, 4-2, before 1200 fans at Wheel Field. Lefthander Norm Chandler, owned by the Atlanta Crackers, hurled the win, spacing nine hits.

Bonham high jumped six feet, four inches for the Comets, while PFC Benjamin Witherspoon scored a victory in the broad jump with a 21-foot leap.

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## Third Army Boxing Champs



HERE'S the Third Army boxing team participating in the All-Army boxing tournament at Fort Bliss, Tex., this week. Coach is Lt. James Boyle, who led his 82d Airborne Division fighters, representing Fort Bragg, N. C., to the Third Army team championship. Bottom row, left to right: Bill Stewart, Bragg flyweight; Willie Macon, Bragg bantam; Richard Woodley, Fort Benning feather; and Leon Upshur, Bragg lightweight. Standing: Coach Boyle; Sammy Johnson, Fort Jackson light-welter; Willie Thrash, Bragg welter; Ed Crook, Benning light-middle; Roscoe Elliot, Bragg middle; Ed Jenkins, Fort Campbell light-heavy; and John Johnson, Jackson heavyweight.

## Second Army Mitt Titles Go To Knox, Harry Davis

FORT KNOX, Ky. — Fort Knox won the team title and light-heavyweight Harry Davis of Fort Eustis, Va., was named "outstanding boxer" in the annual Second Army boxing tournament here last week.

Davis scored TKOs over Kenneth Jackson of Camp Pickett, Va., and Thomas Delan of Fort Knox.

Anthony Clark won a unanimous decision over Joseph Moses, Jr., Camp Pickett, to cop the Second Army featherweight championship. Clark was a Fort Knox entry.

Lightweight Albert Caldwell, Fort Knox, took a unanimous decision in a bout with Roy Herring of Fort Eustis.

George Davis, Fort Meade, Md., was unopposed in the bantamweight category to retain his crown.

CHARLES PEOPLES won the light-welterweight title on a split decision over Johnnie McGowan of Fort Lee, Va., and a TKO over Edward Worthan of Fort Knox. Peoples fought under the Fort Eustis banner.

The welterweight championship went to Franklin Wise of Fort Lee. He won two unanimous decisions, one over Lawrence Terry, Fort Knox, and the other over Stanley Vaughn of Fort Meade.

Light-middleweight Leo Harrington of Camp Pickett won the title in his class with a unanimous verdict over Edward Anderson, Fort Eustis, and a bruising TKO over Edward Burton of Fort Knox.

Jesse Davenport, Fort Lee, won the middleweight crown with a unanimous decision over Joseph Skrepenski of Fort Eustis.

Fort Lee's Arnold Stanley KO'd John Starr of Fort Knox to take the flyweight title.

Alonzo Small of Fort Eustis took the heavyweight crown when he KO'd Howard Jensen of Fort Knox.

Final team standings found Fort Knox in first place with 26 points, Fort Eustis second with 23, Fort Lee placed third with 16, followed by Fort Meade and Camp Pickett with 10 each, and Valley Forge Army Hospital with one point.

### Track 'Encyclopedia'

FORT LEWIS, Wash. — The Fort Lewis track team's most ardent follower is Capt. Leo S. Tyszecki, 44th Inf. Div. transportation officer, who has a bit of track background himself, in a way.

Capt. Tyszecki first came to the U. S. as an interpreter with the 1932 Finnish Olympic team. His native land treats track stars like royalty.

Lewis' coach, 1st Lt. Frank McBride, calls Tyszecki a "walking track encyclopedia."

## New Fort Story Baseball Team To Open May 11

FORT STORY, Va. — Fort Story's first baseball team since 1950 opens its season in the Hampton Roads League May 11, when it plays the Naval Retraining Command team on the Fort Story diamond.

Three weeks of practice have taken the kinks out of the Storymen, who lead off with five pitchers. Among these is Joe Schuler, who played professional ball with Ogden before donning the Army uniform. Wally Krouse, another hurler, saw action with Schuler last year when they were teammates on the Camp Stewart, Ga., team.

Others in the Story pitching department include Bobby Davidson, who pitched for the Vidalia Baseball Club in the Georgia State League last year, and Eddie Hudson.

Jim Key, former Wilson High School star from Portsmouth, Va., will hold down first base, and Dick Riker, luminary of Story's basketball team last season, will play second.

On short will be Tom Edge who played service ball last year with the Camp Campbell team. To fill in on third, Coach Frank Ceci has either Jimmy Glover or Johnny Frantz.

In the outfield it looks like Larry Duffy in left, Jimmy Morris in center, and Jonathon Murray in right. In reserve the outfield can call on Bill Beatty, Van Cannon, Don Roth and Ed Gartland.

Catching is the Story team's strong point this year, with three mitt-men on the rosters: Johnny Cassell, former football player on the Fort Eustis Wheels; Bob Bishop and Dick Miller.

# House Group Studies 'Babied' GI Athletes

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"case" comes up, the Army can be expected to point out that Sadler is of far more value to the Army serving as a boxing coach than he would be in any other capacity, especially since boxing plays a key role in the Army's morale and recreational program.

WILLIE MAYS, back with the New York Giants this year, spent his two years (actually less than that) at Fort Eustis, Va., where he was a star on the baseball team. Like other pro ball players, he was able to be released from service three months early because of a ruling made by the Army last year and outlined in Circular 94.

This ruling would appear to be the Army's most vulnerable point in the discussion, although the emphasis is expected to be placed upon the overseas and KP angles.

Although the ruling for early release was designed primarily to get school teachers back in school sooner because of the nation's severe teacher shortage, it also allows the ball players in service to get out three months sooner because their employment is of a "cyclic nature" and "governed normally by contract."

THE SUBCOMMITTEE claims to have found numerous instances where post commanders have kept big-name athlete trainees at their posts while fellow trainees got shipped out, often overseas.

Such a claim should come as no great surprise, however, since only last week Maj. Gen. Robert McClure, shortly before his retirement, admitted he had retained some athletes at Fort Ord, Calif., after they had finished basic training.

Specifically, Gen. McClure mentioned All-American and All-Pro fullback Ollie Matson, star of the powerful Fort Ord football team and a popular All-Army and "Most Valuable Player" choice in the annual Army Times All-Army poll last year.

That the Ord football team fulfilled an entertainment function for soldiers at Fort Ord is another matter that might be brought in to the hearings. The Ord team played to big crowds and went on to win the nation's service championship.

GEN. MCCLURE'S remarks came after Yankee second baseman Billy Martin, recently inducted, requested a discharge on a hardship basis. Before his induction last month, Martin repeatedly appealed his 1-A status, claiming he couldn't support his five dependents if he went into the Army for two years.

Following Martin's request for a hardship discharge at Fort Ord last week, Gen. McClure recommended that the star second baseman's discharge request be denied and added that Martin's name—along with others—was forwarded for reassignment, possibly overseas.

### Leads Benning Loop

FORT BENNING, Ga. — Third-sacker Joe Smith of the undefeated Infantry School Detachment nine was pacing The Infantry Center League in the hitting department as the young baseball season at Fort Benning heads into its fourth week. Smith banged out 11 hits in 16 trips for a .687 average. His closest pursuer is teammate Dick Cormier who rides along at .562 on nine for 16.

### Schut Fans

CAMP CHAFFEE, Ark., April 27. — Roger Schut, softball pitcher for Battery B, 95th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, fanned 19 batters in seven innings as he won a three-hit game, 3-1.

ers—was forwarded for reassignment, possibly overseas.

"The draft board investigated the situation before they redrafted him," McClure said. "Besides, Martin came to camp driving a baby blue Cadillac. Anyone with a car like that can't be broke," he told a news conference.

NO ONE seems to know just what the Hess subcommittee probe will prove. Individual pampering of athletes here and there would, in itself, be nothing new. Moreover, a ball player, whether he be bush leaguer (as Bauer was when he went into service) or a major league star, is likely to play ball on post teams. If posts are to continue to have teams, which would seem to be a good thing, the best ball players on post will continue to play on them. This would necessarily mean release from duty for the ball games.

When the subcommittee decided to look into the matter, Hess wrote a letter to Defense Secretary Wilson quoting a story in this paper concerning the discharge of Willie Mays at Fort Eustis. The story stated that Mays had "spent his entire 21-month Army career at Fort Eustis where he maintained a high batting average for two seasons."

"What I want to know," the Ohio congressman later summed up is "what was Willie's batting average as a soldier?"

THE ONLY THING certain about these new hearings concerning the Army is that there will be no Cohn, no Schine, and no McCarthy.

Cropped photographs are not expected to come into the discussion, either.

## Bauer Demands Apology

WASHINGTON. — The House Armed Services subcommittee headed by Rep. William E. Hess (R., Ohio) has admitted its error in listing Hank Bauer, star Yankee outfielder, as one of the athletes allegedly shown preferential treatment while in service.

Bauer enlisted in the Marines shortly after Pearl Harbor, served in the Pacific for 32 months and earned two Bronze Stars and two Purple Hearts. Bauer has demanded an "immediate apology."

Hess now says that the list should have contained the name of Hank Sauer, not Hank Bauer. Sauer, home run slugger for the Chicago Cubs, served in the Coast Guard from 1944-45.

"It seems a shame," said a Yankee official in New York, "that responsible people in Washington should so carelessly bandy around names and place innocent people under a cloud of suspicion without checking thoroughly. Nothing but a complete and immediate retraction should be forthcoming."

## Barnett's .333 Leads Engineers

FORT BELVOIR, Va. — Tom Barnett, a left-fielder with no experience, is leading the Belvoir hitting department with a .333 average.

Barnett has sparked the Engineers to a 9-4 season record, and is being counted on for a continued boost during an 18-day road trip which began Friday. It includes an important series with Fort Jackson.

The Engineers have downed Fort Meade, 6-1, split with Little Creek, 5-4 and 4-5, lost to Quantico 6-2, and deluged Lakehurst Naval Air Station, 20-2, in recent games.

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## 'Old Panama Hands' Meet Again In Alaska Command

PORT RICHARDSON, Alaska.—Two "old soldiers" who last served together in Panama 19 years ago met again near Fairbanks, Alaska. Renewing old acquaintances were the former captain of Co. L, 33d

Inf., now Maj. Gen. William M. Milley, CG, U. S. Army, Alaska, and a former private, now M/Sgt. George Mamula of Co. A, 4th Inf. Gen. Milley recognized Sgt. Mamula during an inspection trip

around his command and immediately took a few minutes out to recall old times.

The general, one of the pioneers in airborne training, served with the 17th Abn. Div. in Europe dur-

ing War II and was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star with Oak Leaf Cluster, and the Bronze Star with Oak Leaf Cluster.

The sergeant, meanwhile, served

with the famed Merrill's Marauders in Burma. He is also a veteran of the Korean War and earned the Distinguished Service Cross for extraordinary heroism at Kumhwa. He has also been awarded the Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Combat Infantry Badge and Presidential Unit Citation.

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# 'Morale' Move Shifts Names Of Many Units

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Division will be activated at Fort Jackson, S. C., on May 15. From May 15 until sometime in June, the 8th will be inactive.

Already the 69th (Fighting 69th) Div. has been reactivated at Fort Dix, N. J., as a training division to replace the 9th Infantry Division. The 9th is temporarily inactive. On May 26, however, the 28th Division in Germany will return its colors to control of Pennsylvania and the 9th Infantry Division will be reactivated to replace it.

Also in Germany on the same date, the colors and designations of the 43d Infantry Division will be returned to Connecticut, Rhode Island, and Vermont, and the 5th Red Diamond Infantry Division, inactive since the close of Indiantown Gap, Pa., where the 5th was a training division, will be reactivated.

Already returned to state control is the 45th Division. The 40th Division will return to the States beginning in mid-May. In June it will parade through San Francisco before being returned to California control. About 1100 men will land at Camp Stoneman, Calif., with the 40th.

This leaves three infantry divisions from the National Guard in active federal service — the 37th, the 44th and the 47th. It also leaves the 10th Infantry (Tng.) Division at Fort Riley, Kansas, as the only Regular Army division for which no future has been announced.

Return of the 44th and 47th divisions to state control has already been announced. The redesignation of the 37th as the 10th Infantry Division seems likely and an announcement to that effect should be made within a few days.

This comes as something of a surprise. It had been thought that the designation of 10th would go to the 31st Division at Camp Carson, since the 10th was known in War II as the Mountain Division and mountain training is carried out at Carson.

With these changes, the Army's roll of divisions will read like this, by July 1:

**Infantry Divisions:** 1st, 2nd, 3d, 4th, 5th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 24th, 25th, 44th, 47th.

**Armored Divisions:** 1st, 2nd, 4th.

**Airborne Divisions:** 11th, 82nd.

**Cavalry Divisions:** 1st.

**Training Divisions:** 3d Armored, 5th Armored, 6th Infantry, 6th Armored, 60th Infantry, 101st Airborne.

In making the designation

## First Army Cuts Accident Rate

GOVERNORS ISLAND, N. Y.—First Army reduced its accident death toll by 57 per cent in 1953, it was revealed last week during presentation of the Department of the Army's Award of Merit for Safety to the First Army commander, Lt. Gen. Withers A. Burgess.

This included a 39 per cent reduction in military accident deaths, and 18 per cent in civilian accident fatalities. First Army injuries in 1953 were lessened by 26 per cent.

For 1953, First Army's average reduction of all accidents totaled 15 per cent. Also cited was First Army's excellence in its safety organization, preventive and corrective safety measures.

## New 1st Armd. ADC

FORT HOOD, Tex.—Brig. Gen. George H. Rehm has assumed his duties as assistant division commander of the 1st Armd. Div., replacing Brig. Gen. Edward G. Farand, recently assigned to the Far East.

changes, not only the numbers of the divisions will change, but also those of the component units. In Washington, the Army said that it would be up to division commanders, to assign numbers to the various units within their divisions. However, it was expected that new names and numbers would follow approximately the same numerical order as the old.

Here is how these divisions will be made up. All will have their headquarters, headquarters company, medical detachment, division hq., signal company medical battalion recon company, divarty,

divarty headquarters, headquarters battery and medical detachment. They will have, in addition, separately numbered units:

**5th Infantry Division —** 705th Ord. Bn.; 759th Tank Bn.; 7th Eng. Bn. (Combat); 2nd Inf. Regt., 10th Inf., 11th Inf., 19th FA Bn., 46th FA Bn., 50th FA Bn. (All 105mm How.) 21st FA Bn. (155mm How.) and 47th AAA Bn. (AW) (SP).

**8th Infantry Division units** which will replace the 31st's units: 708th Ord. Bn.; 41st Tank Bn.; 12th Eng. Bn. (Combat); 13th Inf.; 28th Inf.; 81st Inf.; 56th FA Bn.; 45th FA Bn.; 43d FA

Bn.; 28th FA Bn.; and 23d AAA Bn. (AW) (SP).

**9th Infantry Division units:** 709th Ord. Bn.; 61st Tank Bn.; 15th Eng. Bn. (Combat); 39th Inf.; 47th Inf.; 60th Inf.; 26th FA Bn.; 60th FA Bn.; 84th FA Bn.; 34th FA Bn.; 42nd AAA Bn. (AW) (SP).

**10th Infantry Division:** 710th Ord. Bn.; 62nd Tank Bn.; 41st Eng. Bn. (Combat); 85th Inf.; 87th Inf.; 25th FA Bn.; 35th FA Bn.; 40th FA Bn.; 85th FA Bn.; 43d AAA Bn. (AW) (SP).

The two new training divisions have the following component units:

**69th Infantry Division:** 569th Sig. Co.; 709th Ord. Bn.; 269th Eng. Bn. (Combat); 893d Tank Bn.; 369th Med. Bn.; 271st Inf.; 272nd Inf.; 273d Inf.; 879th FA Bn.; 880th FA Bn.; 881st FA Bn.; 724th FA Bn.; 747th AAA Bn. (AW) (SP).

**101st ABN. Division:** 801st Abn. Ord. Bn.; 521st Abn. QM Co.; 46th Abn. Eng. Bn.; 432nd Tank Bn.; 65th Tank Bn.; 501st Abn. Med. Bn.; 501st Abn. Inf.; 502nd Abn. Inf.; 506th Abn. Inf.; 515th Abn. FA Bn.; 516th Abn. FA Bn.; 518th Abn. FA Bn.; 51st Abn. FA Bn.; 51st Abn. AAA Bn.

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